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NEARLY TIENTSIN.

BATTLES.

## NORTH STILL RETREATING.

In connexion with the precautionary measures which are being taken in the North by the Powers, 1,500 American Marines and 400 artillerymen have left Shanghai for Tientsin. Meanwhile, another regiment of U.S. Marines, being held in readiness in the Philippines, is under orders for Shanghai.

There has been a lull in the fighting between North and become if subversive influences Ma Ling and Sai Ma Lung, in the South, both on the Honan and Shantung fronts. Marshal Chiang Kai-shek is reported to have called a halt in the advance, for the time being, while further troops are sent up, and, the Hankow force, although having won victories against the Fengtien army, is taking an enforced rest owing to the very heavy casualties suffered.

The remainder of the Fengtien forces are retreating northwards' in face of the Hankow thrust, and it is reported that they have crossed to the north bank of the Yellow River.

Owing to a fresh outbreak of agitation at Wuhu, there is a likelihood of serious trouble. 'A society has been formed with the object of searching all passing steamers, but the British Rear-Admiral has ordered British ships to resist any attempt at search.

## SERIOUS TROUBLE LIKELY AT WUHU.

AGITATION AT WUHU.

British Vessels Will Resist,

Trouble may develop here short

formed locally which has announ-

The Rear-Admiral, Yangtsze

vessels are concerned, the search

NATIONALIST FINANCE.

Question of New Minister.

It is not unlikely that Mr. T.

Mr. Koo Ying-fan, the acting

Finance Minister, who has gone

up to Nanking, may resign from

Marshal Chiang Kaishek Is

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Ministry.

has ordered that as far as Britis

Wuhu, June 1.

Canton, June 1.

Shanghai is perfectly quiet .--Washington, June 1. The United States Marines in Naval Wircless. China, except a small guard at [Nothing further has been heard Peking, are being moved to Tien- of Sunday's incident when yachts framed as to meet the best interests

A total of 1,700 Marines who Kiangnan, and in connexion with were being held ready in the which the Nationalist Commis-Philippines, are also en route to sioner of Foreign Affairs promised North China.—Reuter's American an apployy and the punishment of that we were ready immediately to the offenders.] Service.

## Departure From Shanghai.

Shanghai, June 1. The United States transport Henderson left this morning for Tientsin, with the Sixth Regiment of U. S. Marines, numbering 1,500, ly as the result of the work and the Tenth Regiment of U.S. agitators. A society has been Artillery, numbering 400.

General Smedley Butler, com- ed its intention to attempt to immanding the U.S. Marines in pose & search on all steamers, China, with his field staff, has left irrespective of nationality. for Tientsin on board the Ameri-" ean cruiser Richmond.

The Third Regiment of U. S. Marines, at present in the Philip- is to be resisted .- Naval Wireless. pines, is coming to Shanghai to replace the Sixth Regiment.—Reuter.

## CONFLICTING REPORTS.

## Honan Situation Obscure.

Hankow, June 1. V. Soong will be entrusted with The Southerners are making the financial administration again Barham have arrived. but slow progress in their advance by Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, for down the Han River, although Mr. Soong's right hand man, Mr. they are meeting with no opposi- Li Sing-yick, who was arrested tion. The precise nature of the during the anti-"Red" coup, has situation on the Honan front is been released by order of the very obscure, the reports reaching Generalissimo. Hankow being very conflicting. . The order for his release is be-It is, however, understood that the lieved to be due to the fact that Fengtien forces have already be- Messrs. Soong and L! were very gun to cross to the North bank of able financial administrators.

During their term of office they the Yellow River. Fighting has been suspended were able to raise in Canton alone for the moment, it is reported, as \$7,000,000 a month for the war the Nationalists are having diffi-chest. culty with their troops after the Another report has it that Mr. recent heavy losses. Reinforce- T. V. Soong may not serve again, ments are being sent by train, and but Mr. Li Sing-vick will be given a further offensive may be started a new appointment in the Finance shortly.—Naval Wireless.

## HALT IN ADVANCE.

## Little News from the Front

his office, and from the other office as Finance Commisioner of Nanking, June 1. There is no news from the front, Kwangtung, which he is also holdand it is believed that Marshal ing. Chiang Kai-shek has called a halt Mr. Tang Chak-yu is the most in the Cantonese advance for the likely candidate for these finantime being. Troop movements are cial offices, if Mr. T. V. Soong is on a very small scale. not going to resume his former

In Nanking, there is no change position. in the situation, a certain amount of business has been done, and sending a commissioner, to Canthe place is returning to normalcy ton to investigate the military and fuirly rapidly.—Naval Wireless. ern metropolis, Marshal Chiang

## WAR PROGRESS OBSCURE.

## Little or No Fighting.

Shanghai, June 1. The progress of the war is ob- required that this fund be ready scure, but as far as can be ascer- before the Summer Festival, which tained, there has been little or no falls on June 4 .- Nam Chung Pao. fighting in the past 48 hours.

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## OUR OBLIGATIONS IN

BRITISH POLICY.

## STATEMENT IN PARLIAMENT.

Sir Austen Chamberlain, in the House of Commons, replying to number of questions, said the Egyptian army for a long time past one at the disposal of the Wafd party. were destroyed.

were allowed full play.

#### Army Increase Wanted.

The recommendations of the war committee of the Egyptain parliament to the Chamber, included the raising of the establishment of infantry battalions, an increase in the strength of the armaments of the artillery, the acquisition of numbers of machine-guns, and finally the cancellation of the budgetary credit for the Sirdar, with the object of transferring the Sirdar's functions to the Minister of War. so that consequently the party in power would be able to exercise an unchecked political influence on the

The High Commissioner, after consulting His Majesty's Government, had addressed a Note to the Egyptian Government on May 24 stating that the whole question would properly form the subject for an agreed settlement.

"This we considered could be so

#### were fired on from the shore near of both countries." Ready For Negotiations.

Sir Austen Chamberlain added open negotiations for this purpose, but until an agreement was reached we must insist on the maintenance of safeguards which past experience had proved effective.

Meanwhile, reports indicated the efforts were being made to fumen' political excitement. This had led to serious excesses in the past, as at Alexandria in 1921. It had been decided to send three warships. to Egyptian waters, in the belief that their presence would have a restraining effect on the disorderly elements who were endangering the lives and interests of foreigners. Conversations between Lord Lloyd and the Egyptian Govern-

#### for him to say more.—Reuter. Battleships Arrive.

ment were progressing, therefore it

was undesirable, said Sir Austen,

Alexandria, June, 1. The battleships Malaya and The Royal Sovereign has arrived

at Port Said .- Reuter.

## CYCLONE FATALITIES.

STORM SWEEPS BELGIUM AND HOLLAND.

Amsterdam, June 1. A cyclone raged this afternoon in parts of Belgium and Holland, smashing trees, farms, and walls. Three persons were killed, and several were injured, through the collapse of a factory at Neede, In Holland, where the church and post office were also blown down,

causing many casualties. The Netherlands war department has been asked to send engineers and medical units to the stricken districts .- Reuter.

## THREE-POWER NAVAL CONFERENCE.

#### AMERICAN PLAN WORKED OUT.

financial conditions in the south-Washington, June 1. recently wired to Canton asking ed of a detailed plan worked out of the proposed Act. Reuter. that the sum of \$1,500,000 be imby the United States delegation mediately remitted to Nanking to the forthcoming tripartite for war expenses. The Marshal naval arms limitation conference. These details will be kept secret until they are revealed at the conference.—Reuter's American

## BIG ANTI-PIRACY EXPEDITION.

MANY BANDITS RILLED OR CAPTURED.

CANTON MOVES AT LAST.

Word has been received in the Colony that, on Tiggday, a anti-piracy expedition was carri out in the Sze Yap atstrict by the Canton authorities, with the rethat a large number attracted the attention of a section bandits were either killed or cap-of Egyptian politicians, who aimed which they had established in the to convert the army into a weapon districts of Suntak and Sunwul

These projects directly concerned The troops which carried out the British Government. The de- these operations were dispatched fence of the Suez Canal way of from Canton and are stated to vital interest, and the protection of have suffered a large number of presented overhead in several foreigners was an obligation. 'It casualties before they attained was impossible to permit our task their objective. However, they to be complicated by potential hos- succeeded in killing and rounding tile forces, as there was good reason up a large number of bandits in a to fear the Egyptian army might number of engagements at Tung Suntak district, and at Nam Sha, in the Sunwui district, where the bandits, had their buses.

Police officials in Hongkong who have received a report in regard

## MANY DROWNED.

Consting Vessel Founders.

Manila, June 1. One hundred and eight people, including two of the officers and six of the crew, are reported to have been drowned when the Philippines steamer Negros foundered near Romblon 6.3 May 29. About 50 people were saved.

It is believed that there were no Europeans or Americans on board.—Reuter.

to these operations, to-day stated when interviewed, that the cleanup should have the effect of reducing, by 50 per cent., piratical attacks on junks trading with this

## U.S. MINISTER TO CANADA.

ARRIVES TO PRESENT CREDENTIALS.

Ottawa, June 1. Mr. William Phillips, the United States Minister to Canada, has arrived to present his credentials to the Governor General. He will be met at the station by Mr. Mackenzie King, Cabinet Ministers, and other distinguished Canadians.

Mr. Phillips will return Washington on Saturday, pending the opening of the United States Legation at Ottawa on July 1 .--Reuter's American Service.

## SEAPLANE TO SEARCH FOR NUNGESSER.

## EFFORT OFF NEWFOUNDLAND.

St. John, Newfoundland, June 1. in a scaplane on June 2, to search phis. the south coast of Newfoundland for Nungesser and Reuter's American Service.

## TRADES UNIONS BILL.

SAFEGUARD CLAUSE PASSED.

London, June 1. The House of Commons, by 235 to 125, has adopted Clause 7 of the Trades Unions Bill, authorising the Attorney General to apply for a Court injunction to restrain any application of the funds of trades President Coolidge has approv- unions contrary to the provisions

## TO DAY.

Dollar on defisand 2/0.1/16. 7.04 p.m.

## LOCAL PAGEANT.

IN HONOUR OF THE KING.

## TO-MORROW'S BIG DISPLAY.

It requires only brilliantly fine venther, such as prevails to-day to ensure that the King's Birthday Parade at Happy Valley to-morrow morning will be the most remarkable spectacie of naval and military pageantry ever seen in Hong- production of the Record of the Moscow. The trend of the Chi-

' Nearly four thousand officers and men of His Majesty's fighting forces will be on parade in review order, while the younger Admiralty, in 1919,20. arm, the Air Force, will be re-

swirling, swooping flights. The colourful scene will not be confined to the parade and the impressive ceremonial, the march past with the colours of all regiments flying, the regimental marches played by "the massed" bands of the different brigades, joie, the brigade commanders on the movements of the various Eri- Japan. Rumours current in the field gun salute, the feu-detheir chargers, and the precision, of the manoeuvres. It is expect- first stage in the preparation of a Matsucka's name with the post of ed that every European resident history of the battle." who can possibly attend, and thousands of Chinese, will witness the clearly be understood that this is admits that the Kuomintang has celebration of His Majesty the not to be regarded as an official re- been influenced by the newly. King's birthday.

Interesting Feature. His Excellency the Governor (Sir Cecil Clementi, K.C.M.G.) will arrive escorte " " n firet of motora section of cycles from t teer Defence the Hongkon " to the parade, Corps, and hi harger, will be mounted on greeted by the Royal Salute and the playing of the National An-

An interesting feature of the ceremonial this year will be the decoration by His Excellency of four N.C.O.'s with Long Service and Good Conduct Medals.

talion.

at about nine o'clock, there will be Doriot himself. a searchlight tattoo.

special traffic arrangements have -- Reuter. been made by the C.S.P. (the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe), special trains to bring residents from the New Territories are being run by the Kowloon-Canton Railway, while Messrs. Lane Crawford's are supplying breakfasts in the Jockey Club stand for the benefit of early arrivals.

## Weather, Forecast.

For complete success, the parade will depend on favourable signation of the Conservative memweather, and it is interesting to ber, Captain R. Gee, V.C., who has note in this connexion that the settled in Australia, resulted as fol- which primarily Royal Observatory's forecast up lows: to moon to-morrow is:-N.E. winds, freshening; fine at first, cloudy later.

## OFFICIAL WELCOME TO LINDBERGH.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE'S INVITATION.

Washington, June 1. A telegram from Captain Lindbergh has been received at the White House accepting President Major Sidney Cotton, an airman Coolinge's invitation for him to who has flown extensively in Ne 7- return immediately to Washington foundland, is leaving New York in the United States cruiser Mem-

It is planned that the Memphis Coll .- shall come direct to Washington, where Lindbergh will be received officially on behalf of the nation. -Reuter's American Service.

## DEATH SENTENCE.

GENERAL WHO WORKED FOR SOVIET.

Riga, June 1. General Kleschinsky, former chief of the Lithuanian general staff, who was arrested a weck ago on a charge of esplonage, was sentenced to death by court martial at Kovno, for receiving a regular salary from the Soviet Legation for supplying Lithuanian curried out.-Reuter.

## MORE ABOUT BATTLE OF JUTLAND.

A BLUE BOOK TO DISPEL RUMOURS.

OFFICIAL LOG BOOKS.

London, June 1

The "Narrative of the Battle Jutland," which was officially pr lished in 1924, has now been follo ed by a Blue Book entitled the "Re-Battle of Jutland," prepared by nese situation threatens the very Captain, now Rear-Admiral, Harper foundations of Japan. Japanese and other officers, by direction of should keep their eyes on the cold

lishing this record was recently catch-words such as Sino-Japanese revived by the publication of Ad- entente, etc. miral Harper's book "The Truth The above formed some of the About Jutland," the object of which | salient points in an article written the author avows is "to scotch the by Mr. Yosuke Matsucka, director legend of an incompetent Jellicoe;" of the South Manchuria Railway, but the Blue Book is, in the words who has just arrived in Japan. The of an explanatory note by the Ad- article appears in the month's miralty, "nothing more than a re- issue of the Economist, one of cord, in chronological sequence, of the most popular magazines in tish squadrons, and represents the Japan's capital keep linking Mr.

port. The object of their Lord- awakened national spirit and the ships now authorising publication is consequent national aspirations in to dispel the idea that any mystery, China, but he declares that it is sensational evidence, or criticism is also undeniable that such successes contained therein."-Reuter.

## FRENCH COMMUNIST DEPUTIES.

SOCIALIST BIAS FAVOURS IMMUNITY.

Paris, June 1. The Chamber committee which After the parade, the detach- has been examining the Governments will march through Wan- ment's request for authority to chai to the City, with their own take proceedings against the Comguns in honour of His Majesty, postponed the ruling as regards viet alliance.

It should be noted that the com-In connexion with the parade, mittee had a Socialist majority.

## LIBERAL COME-BACK.

RESULT OF BOSWORTH BY-ELECTION.

London, June 1. The by-election at Bosworth, (Leicestershire), due to the re-

| Sir William Edge (Liberal) 11,891 Mr. Minto (Labour) ..... 11,710 Mr. Spears (Conservative) 7,685

At the last election, the figures at the polling were: Capt. Gec, 10,114; Mr. G. Ward, the former Liberal holder of the seat, 9,756; and Mr. J. Minto, the Labour candidate, 9,143. The total electorate is about 21,000 men and 15,000 women.

## SANDALWOOD WORKERS.

DEMANDS COMPLETELY IGNORED.

their employers, over the question of their apprenticeship, a meeting of all the sandalwoo! shop-owners was held yesterday.

It was resolved that steps be taken to dismiss all of the workmen if necessary, rather than accode to their demands, reports the vernacular press.

## SLIGHT SHOCKS.

TREMORS NEAR NEW JERSEY.

New York, June 1. Slight earthquake shocks were military information to the Soviet. felt this morning on the New Jer-The sentence was immediately sey coast; but no damage was done. - Reuter's American Service.

## SOVIET PLOTS. JAPAN NOW FULLY

## STATEMENT BY HIGH OFFICAL.

CONVINCED.

Tokyo, May 13. The work of the Kuomintang is inspired by the Soviets. The open alliance of the so-called Nation-

alist with the Soviet government. is an illicit relationship with facts of the situation in China, The criticism at the delay in pub- instead of being content with

Vice-Foreign Minister in Baron The note also adds, "It must Tanaka's cabinet. Mr. Matsucka

> belp rendered to their cause by the "Nationalist politicians have. openly stated that they have been aided by the Soviets," writes Mr. Matsuoka, "and great prominence has been given in their (Nationalist) propaganda to the fact that the Nationalists were allied. with Soviet Russia."

as the Nationalists so far have

schieved have been due to direct

## Illicit and Dangerous.

Mr. Matsucka then goes on to say that, since any Government is bands at the head of each bat- munist Deputies, Vaillaut Cou- free to make what alliance it turier, Duclos, Clamamus, and chooses, the Nationalists claim At noon to-morrow all cruisers Dorlot, has refused the request as that, therefore, no censure could in Harbour will fire a salute of 21 regards the first three, and has be applied to the Nationalist-Soand in the evening, commencing Doriot, pending the hearing of tinues, "the Nationalists have The Nationalist Government is not regarded by any responsible nations as a legitimate. representative governmental institution in China. As a consequence, the claim of the Nationalists to exercise the right of recognized governments to form what alliance such governments desire cannot be entertained. The relations between the Nationalists and the Soviets are illicit and are

extremely dangerous." Viewed from such a point, continues the article, the disturbances in China cannot be regarded as merely internal, but have significance, international affects the in the Far jushed to the point when the conflagration again might envelop world. From the point of view of Japan alone, he insists, the trend of events in China threatens to strike at the very foundations of this country, which is something Japan cannot very well look at askance. "Nationalist, leaders have themselves declared." goes on Mr. Matsucka, "that they will not rest content until they force a fundmental reconstruction of the existing world situa-

## Guardians of the Peace.

Mr. Matsuoka then asks his countrymen point-blank whether, such being the state of affairs, the Japanese, who consider themselves With reference to the dispute to be the guardians of peace in which has arisen between the the Far East, could look on unlocal sandalwood workers and moved, merely gazing at the serious developments occurring at their doorstep, as though they were looking at a cinema film, "How can we reconcile our duty: to peace and humanity," he asks, "if we do nothing to check the catastrophic events in the neighbouring republic? We must not forget that Japan is placed in a position to safeguard the peace of the Far East, even the peace of the world. Must we allow such a sublime opportunity to escape

> Mr. Matsucka then concludes his article by declaring that Japan's policy towards China should bo. formulated not merely as regards safeguarding Japan, but also from the higher point of view of internationalism and of seeking ultimate peace. "I cannot here state.

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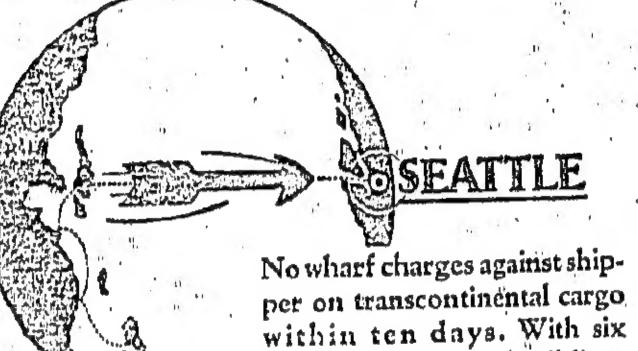
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## CHINA CRISIS.

OVERNIGHT CABLES.

Belginn's Attitude.

Brussels, June 1. In the Chamber M. Vandervelde declared that the Government was giving close attention to the situation and the protection of Belgians in China, and would never agree to the suppression of the rights of asylum.—Reuter.

## Should Remain.

Peking, June 1. With reference to the Washington message regarding the pro-posal to transfer the American Legation at Peking to a point nearerthe const, it is understood the United States Legation yesterday, after a meeting of the Diplomatic Corps, wired to Washington, again urging that the U.S. Legation should remain at Peking whatever eventualities may arise, emphasising that the British, Japanese and other Governments have definitely decided that their legations should

gation will shortly advise the wo- on the Government in the Chinese men and children to leave Peking. affair.

Tsingtao, June 1.

The Japanese troops ordered here yesterday landed this morning.-Renter.

North Protests Landing. Peking, June 1.

Tso-lin's head-Foreign office have protested to the Japanese the landing of Legation against. Japanese troops at Tsingtao .--Renter.

## South Also.

Nanking, June 1. The Nationalist Government has protested to Earon Tanaka against Japanese troops landing in China. Reuter.

Shantung Protest.

Shanghai, June 1. The public organizations Shantung have addressed a pet. tion to provincial authorities asking that the Japanese should not be allowed to land under any cir-cumstances.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

U. S. Marines for Tientsin.

Shanghai, June 1.

marines are leaving, to-morrow istence of the treaty of arbitramorning for Tientsin on the U.S.S. tion with France and point out Henderson and the U.S.S. Rich- that similar treaties with Britain

The Second Borderers are leav- cently expired. ing for Weihaiwei on June 6. There is a possibility that further sists almost entirely of extracts troops will be leaving for other from the existing Franco-Ameri-Northern trenty ports.

## Flying Force Arrives.

Shanghai, June 1.

The second squadron of the R.A.E., consisting of thirty officers and two hundred men with eighteen Bristol fighting planes have arrived from Hongkong. They landed this afternoon and are occupying the hangars on the Shanghai racecourse.—Renter.

## COMMUNIST MANIFESTO.

ANGLO-RUSSIAN BREACH UTILISED.

Moscow, June 1.

tional strife."-Reuter.

## TO VISIT ENGLAND.

INVITATION.

Senator Borah has informed Lord Derby that he will be happy to accept his invitation to visit

never said the British were ogres and appreciates Lord Derby's missionary spirit but does not feel the need of his gospel enlightenment. He trusts that millions of remain.

It is understood the British Le- peace and will exert this influence

He says: "China will be the acid test as to whether the" nations preaching peace and international justice want peace and justice; whether the industrial peace we covet for our people will be ex-

He hopes his visit to England will not be to hunt orgres but to see and know better a people whose highest encomium is that they are always loyal to their own flag-"an attribute which prevails rather strongly in the United States and one which I think. worth preserving."

AND THE UNITED FRANCE STATES.

New York, June 1.

A proposal has been promulgated, by Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, President of the Columbia University for a new treaty with France which has been drawn up by Professors Shotwell and Chamberlain. The newspapers cite in this connexion M. Briand's recent suggestion that war should be outlawed as between France and hundred American the United States; recall the exand other Powers have only re-

> The proposed new treaty concan treaty or pact at Locarno. It is reported from Washington that it is doubtful if the proposal will inspire conversations between Paris and Washington, but the indications are that the subject will receive serious consideration by American officials.-Reuter's American Service"

## RUSSIAN AND BRITAIN.

MOSCOW'S ACTIVITIES IN CHINA...

London," June 1. In the House of Lords, replying to Lord Parmoor, who initiated the debate on Russia, Lord Bal-four, defending the Government action referring to the "infinite in-The Excutive Committee of the jury" Russia had done and was Communist International, has is- doing in China. He said he did sued a manifesto calling upon the not accuse the Soviet Government "toiling masses of oppressed peo- of being responsible for all the ples of the whole world" to defend misery caused by the waring the Chinese revolution and support factions now tearing that unhappy the Soviet Government, declaring country to pieces. The Chinese that the Anglo-Soviet rupture must bear their fair share of the signalises a great danger of war.
The Committee also passed a resolution authorising the exclusion of Trotsky and Zinoviest from the ment trouble, because they thought Committee if they continued "fac- that through. China they could strike at Britain.—Reuter.

SENATOR BORAH ACCEPTS

England in October if plans permit. Reuter.

A message on April-25 stated: The Manchestor Evening Nows has received a cable from Senator Borah replying to a speech at the Manchester Chamber of Commerce luncheon wherein Lord Derby remarked that there was a prominent politician in America who always seemed to think we were ogres. He added that if Mr. Borah would honour him by being his guest he would conduct him through industrial Lancashire where he would see what peace meant to industry.

Senator Borah retorts that he

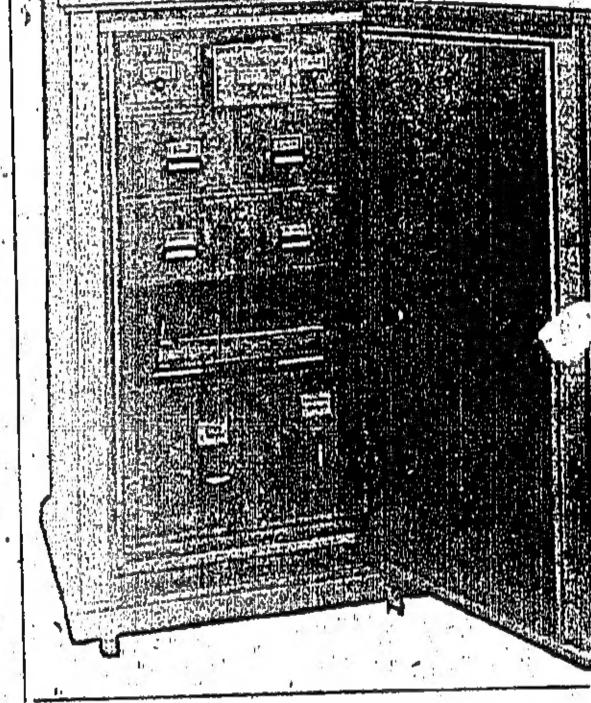
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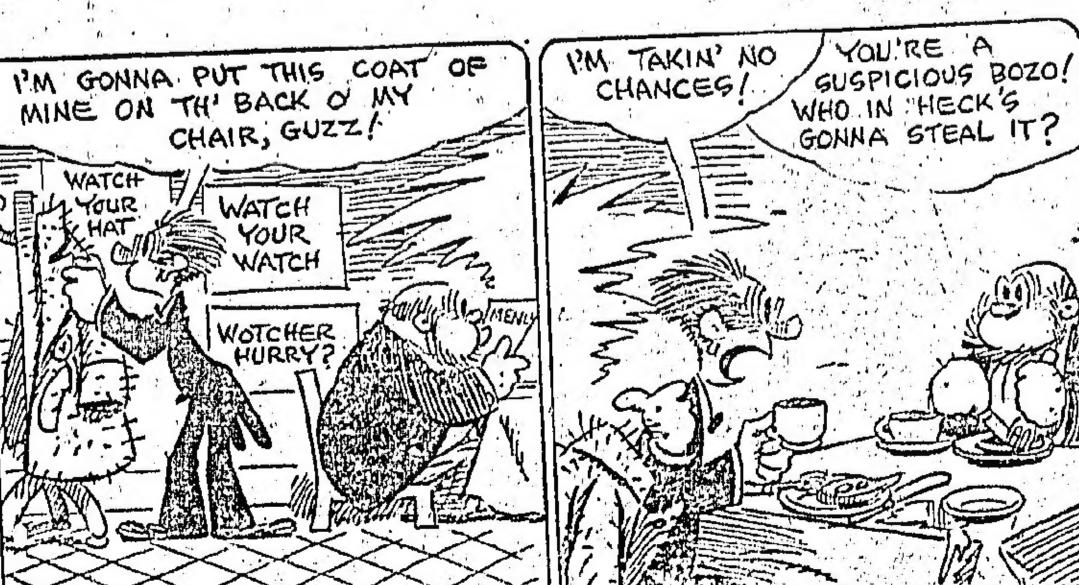
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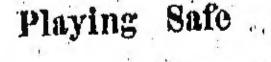
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NORTHERN RETREAT.—Those two pictures tell a war story of China to-day. Above troops of the Peking government are shown loading their artillery preparatory to retreat. Below are pictured the triumphant Nationalist forces advancing.



MRS. VIDA BLAKE, of Santa Monica, Calif., has a strange occupation for a woman—she teaches flying. At the field of the American Air-craft Corporation she is busily turning out classes of "air woman."



SIR HARRY IN THE U.S.—George Johnson, Pullman porter, making the regular run through Nashville, Tenn, receiving a tip from Sir Harry Lauder, during the latter's recent American tour.



SACCO AND VANZETTI.—Bartolomeo Vanzetti (1) and Nicola Sacco (2) principals in the internationally known Massachusetts murder case, photographed for the first time in many months as they arrived at the Dedham, Mass. Court House to hear Judge in many months as they arrived at the Dedham, Mass. Court House to hear Judge in many months as they arrived at the Dedham, Mass. Court House to hear Judge was telephotoed from Boston to New shotgun guard at the right. This exclusive picture was telephotoed from Boston to New shotgun guard at the right.



PRINCE OF WALES IN SPAIN.—Musicians with drum and bagpipes who played at the station and at the Alcazar, on the Prince's visit. (Times copyright)



PUBLIC SCHOOLS ATHLETICS.—The finish of the 100 yards race in the Public Schools Championship meeting at stamford Bridge, showing E. C. Breed (Rutlish), left, winning stamford Bridge, showing E. C. Breed (Rutlish), left, winning from R. L. J. Rinkel (Blundells'); K. W. Hancock (Emanuel) right was third. (Times copyright).



TELEVISION AT WORK.—Mr. Herbert Hoover sat in Washington talking over a telephone (inset). President Walter S. Gifford of the A. T. & T. listened to him in New York—and saw him as he spoke. Dr. Herbert E. Ives, television engineer, is seen at the right.



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On Saturday, 4th June, all departments will be open as usual. Hongkong, 1st June, 1927.

## BANK HOLIDAY.

In Accordance with Ordinance No. 5 of 1912, the Exchange Banks will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on FRI-DAY, (His Majesty's Birthday), SATURDAY, and MONDAY, (WITH MONDAY), the 3rd, 4th and 6th Proximo.

Hongkong, 31st May, 1927.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. H.M. THE KING'S BIRTHDAY

PARADE.

3rd June, 1927. The public will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure, Public Enclosure and Grand Stand only on the occasion of the above

Parade. By Order,

C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB. NOTICE.

an Extraordinary General Meeting of Members will be held in the Pavilion of the Hongkong Cricket Club, Victoria, Hongkong, at 5.30 p.m. on FRIDAY, 10th June, 1927, for the purpose of considering following resolutions:-

(1) That the Committee be and JOHN D. HUMPHERYS & SON, are hereby authorised to take the necessary steps to add a second storey to the pavilion and make such alterations and improvements to the existing building as may be deemed. advisable.

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tion No. 1: By Order,

of the Committee,

L. S. GREENHILL, Hon. Secretary

## HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Fourth Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting' at Happy Valley on Saturday, 4th June and Monday, 6th June, 1927, commencing at 2.45 p.m. on both days. The first bell will be rung at 2.15 p.m.

The charge for admission to the Public Enclosure will be \$1.- per day for all persons including Ladies. Soldiers and Sailors in uniform half price.

Members are advised that they must show their Badges to obtain admission to the Members' Enclosure.

Each member has the right to introduce 2 non-members to the Members' Enclosure, tickets for whom can be obtained from Messrs. Linstead & Davis at \$5 .- 1 Acrated Water Factory, 154, Praya | each per day up to Thursday, 2nd | June, 1927.

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Hongkong, May 26, 1927.

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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Saturand, if thought fit, approving the day, 4th June to Friday, 10th June, 1927, both days inclusive.

."General Managers.

Hongkong, 30th May, 1927. CHINA SUGAR REFINING

NOTICE.

COMPANY LIMITED.

THE FORTY-NINTH ORDIN ARY ANNUAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the General Agents, Pedder Street, on Tuesday, 7th June, 1927, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1926.

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Samshui and Wuchow .... "... Taihing ..... Thurs., June 2, 4 p.m.

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Amoy ..... Thurs, June 2, 5 p.m.

"Heihow and Bangkok ...... Winghao ..... Tues., June 2, 5 p.nt.

Hoihow, Pakhoi and \*Haiphong ... Tean ...... Fri., June 3, 8.30 a.m.

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Haiphong ..... Song Bo .... Fri., June 8, 9 a.m.

Europe via Marseilles ...... Hakone Maru ........ Sat., June 4,

Shanghai and Europe via Siberia .. Shantung ..... Sat., June 4, 9 a.m.

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and S. Africa ..... Andes Maru .... Sun., June 5, 9 a.m.

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Swatow, Amoy and Foochow ..... Halching ..... Tues., June 7, noon.

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Emp. of Russia

Hakone Maru ,......June 8

Soochow .....June 4.

Pres. Monroe ......June 6.

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Tues., June 7, 8.30 p.m.

(Due Marscilles 4th July)

Haihong ..... Sat., June 4, 9 a.m.

Autolycus ... .. Mon., June 5, 9 a.m.

Huichow ..... Mon., June 6, 9 a.m.

Soochow ..... Mon., June 6, 9 a.m.

President Pierce .... Mon., June 6.

(Due San Francisco 30th June.)

President Mouroe Mon., June 6, Noon.

Kalgan .... Tues., June 7, 10.30 a.m.

(Due Marseilles, 7th July).

Pres. Jackson Tues., June 7, 4.30 pin.

Kingyuan .... Tues., June 7, 5 p.m.

Kwongsang ... Wed., June 8, 8.30 a.m.

Tjikini .... Thurs. June 9, 10.80 a.m.

Cremer .... Thurs., June 9, 2.30 p.m.

Haining ...... Fri., June 10, 1 p.m.

"Mausang ... Fri., June 10, 1.80 p.m.

Parcels ... June 10, 4.80 p.m.

Reg. ..... June 11, 9 n.m.

Letters .. June 11, 10.80 a.m.

G. P. O.

Parcels .....June 10, 5 p.m.

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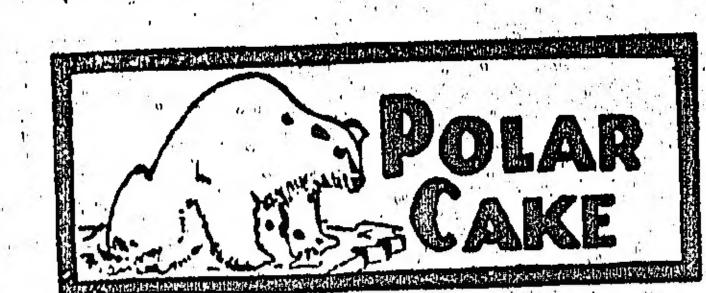
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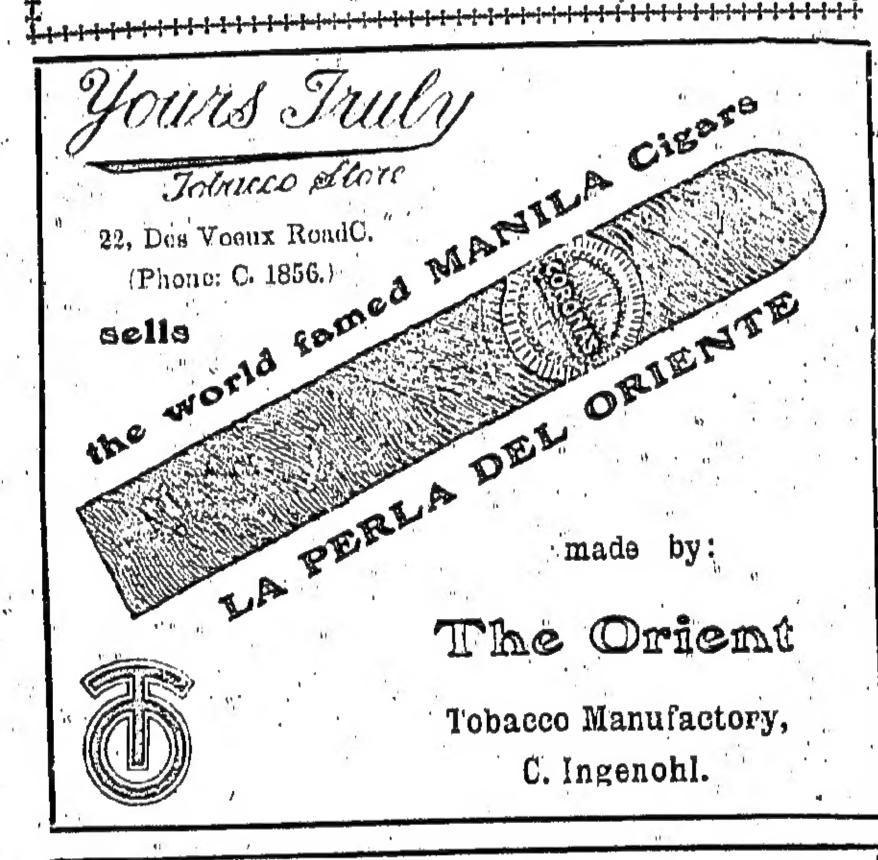
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## SHANGHAI COLLEGE AND LABOUR.

WORKERS' DEMAND FOR HUGE INCREASE.

UNIONISTS' PREACHMENT.

There have been many rumours and a few letters in the press from various correspondents regarding difficulties at Shanghai College with the Labour Union. Friends of the College are anxious to know the exact state of affairs. following statement is made by reliable authority who has an inside knowledge of the situation says the N. C. Daily News.

The Labour Union was organized during March and forcibly enrolled in its membership all the janitors, gardeners, cooks, clerks, messengers, etc., as well as the personal servants of the members the faculty both foreign About April Chinese. they presented an ultimatum to the president of the College, containing 22 demands, requiring increases in wages of from 10 to 80 per cent., also food, lodging, and a substantial reduction in working hours, as well as large future increase in wages, and many detailed demands concerning holidays and leaves of absence on occasions of births, weddings, and funerals, 'ties, among them American leaf: The total demands of the Labour Union would require an additional financial outlay for the institution of nearly \$10,000 per year; apart from the extra cost to members of the faculty.

Strike Called.

The Faculty Council replied, elass rooms, refusing food, water, faculty. "The gates of the campus were locked so that none could l the grounds without a special permit issued and stamped | done here. The grade of tobacco by the Labour Union. From statements that were made it was feared that if the demands were not met life would be endangered.

On this the Faculty Council agreed to all the demands under duress, and later appealed the case to the Board of Managers of the College. This body which consists of 13 Chinese and 10 foreign members passed some vigorous resolutions, urging the Labour Union to come off its high horse, and requesting it to change certain items in its demands on the College. This was communicated to the Labour Union on May 13, on which occasion the Faculty totals over one hundred people. Council again promised increases per cent, but modifying some of the other demands, and proposing rather humbly these terms to be the final agreement between the

College and the Labour Union. To this letter the following reply has been received from the Labour Union:-

May 23, 1927.

Dear Sirs:-We have received your letter and noted its contents. We called a mass meeting on the evening of May 19, the revision. to discuss about it.

been signed only a month and revision the same thing again and more of it. with us and practice justice; (3) the labour union affair and suspend his having been interviewed was the agreement was signed. because the agreement was signed the college. " after the Shanghai General Labour Union was reorganized; therefore, in interests of Shanghai College, saying that we were influenced by the future career of Christianity, for the Reds is not right. You should be the love of mankind and for the

careful in what you say. reasonable. You can send men to careful. investigate about the conditions else-

where and you will know it. should in any way affect the career will understand us: of the college, it is because the college nuthorities have no respect for Dr. Sun's "Farm and Labour Policy." To President White and Please have kind consideration for Members of the Faculty Council.

## MANILA TOBACCO'S DECLINE.

COMPETITION THREATENED FROM CHINA.

APPEAL FOR IMPROVEMENT.

In a recent issue the Manila Daily Bulletin states:

"The British-American Tobacco Company, one of the most successful corporations engaged in China business, threatens to give Philippine tobacco products new and keen competition in the United States. This company is in a position to offer stiff competition because it has built up a strong. business. However, what it has cuted for the Director of Public competition.

Native Chinese tobacco is poor. It was very poor when foreign tobacco interests, including the British-American Tobacco Company, entered that field:

The British-American Tobacco Company some years ago started experiments looking to the improvement of the tobacco grown there. These experiments included the introduction of new varie-

#### · Improvements.

With the co-operation and under the supervision of scientifically trained tobacco men the Chinese farmers learned to grow better varieties, and received proportionately better prices for their products. Experimental, farms were granting practically the increases conducted by the British-Ameriin wages asked for and most of can Tobacco Company in the tothe privileges. Because the reply bacco producing sections of China. was not wholly satisfactory; the The Chinese farmers were the libel on the police. It might also workers not only called a strike ones who reaped the biggest bene- be that it was thought that serious but locked the power house and fits, although at the same time and light to both students, and Company prospered through the development of the tobacco busi-

> Precisely the same thing can be grown in the Philippines explains most of the troubles the Philippine tobacco industry, has. field is here for a far greater production of tobacco of a much higher quality. If proper impetus were given to the development of American Tobacco Company on the territory of Philippine tobacco products in the United States."

If the college will not talk 'the in wages of from 5 to 80 per cent., principles of humanity" and ignore arrived in Britain on January conditions of the labourers and cling our union, then we are not responsible for the future career of this college; but you must be.

You, in the name o the Board of

If you are working for the future prestige of your country (U.S.A.) We don't care to argue with you which often advocates the doctrine of whether or not our demands are un- humanity, you ought to be very very

In conclusion we want to express to you our more than 100 per cent. If the demands of our labour union enthusiasm for the college. Hope you

(Signed) Staff and Labour Union and stamped with Union "chop"

## ALLEGATION AGAINST POLICE.

"THIRD DEGREE" METHODS · CHARGE.

A LONDON LIBEL SUIT.

Summonses were heard at Bow Street Police Court, London, in mail week, in connexion with an alleged defamatory libel published in the Sunday Worker concerning the Metropolitan Police and two officers of the Special Branch, New Scotland Yard. Defendants were Wil-Raul, editor of the Sunday Worker and Workers' Publicators

Sir Travers Humphrey prosedone in China could be done here Prosecutions. The prosecution was to a large degree. And this would in respect of matter which appeared be the most practical and the most. in two issues of the paper on Febrsatisfactory manner of meeting unry 20 and March 5. Sir Travers read an extract from the issue of February 20. He said it had large headlines-"Third Degree Methods to Extract Confession from Class-War Pensioners: Filthy

Cell, No Bed."

"Third degree methods are being employed by Scotland Yard men to extract a confession from Nathan Dean, a Class war pensioner in Pentonville Jail," it said. "Dean is serving a six months' sentence. 'As a 'political' Dean, receives special treatment, and it means that during the month he has been in prison he 13 has been on bread and water diet. His cell is in a filthy condition and has no mattress and he has to sleep on the floor. 'He sends fraternal greetings to the workers, both Bri- 20 tish and Chinese, who are struggling for the overthrow of capital."

"Some Inaccuracies." It seemed to have occurred to 30 someone, went on Sir Travers, that 31 that statement was an abominable British-American Tobacco cordingly, in the issue of March 6, there was a paragraph to the effect that the Sunday Worker was informed that there were some inaccuracies in the report of February 52

20. It went on to say that the statements that while Dean was in prison he was on a bread and water diet, that the cell was in a filthy condition, and that he was not allowed a mattress were not strictly. in accordance with the facts.

That, said Sir Travers, appeared to be a halting method of saying the country, if proper backing that it was an absolute lie from were given to scientific progress, beginning to end. But while the there would be no occasion to fear authorities who were responsible the encroachment of the British- for this paper were content to withdraw their accusation against the prison authorities, as to the police officers who were said to have used their own methods to extract information from Dean this was a the members of our union which repetition of the libel upon them.

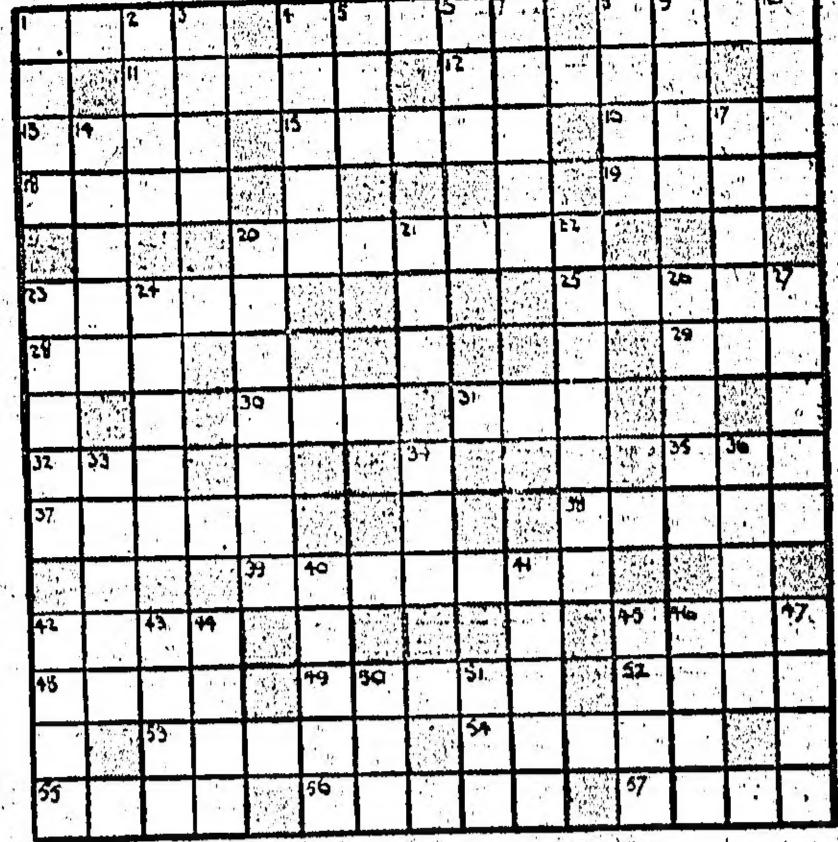
Reason for Arrest.

Sir Travers explained that Dean the majority of the labourers re- the principles of public sentiment and with a passport which was not satisthe majority of the labourers read don't pay attention to the living factory, and would probably have exercise oppressive mensures toward mission to land but for the fact that him. He was called up to London where he made a statement to the police as to the passport, and was Managers, are asking us to revise the charged at Bow Street on January agreement, yet in your letter you did 8 for an offence against the Alien not follow their actions. Thus you Order in arriving with an irregular are assuming that the Board of passport. He pleaded guilty and Managers is under the control of was remanded until January 13, to your body. Therefore, it is clear, you Brixton. Two officers interviewed and not the Board of Managers, want him in Brixton in consequence of a You know the last strike was due should see them. He was subsement because (1) the agreement has demands. Now you are practicing quently further charged with steal-

> absolutely moonshine. On April 3, 1927, a letter was written to the Commissioner of Police to the effect that when they printed the remarks with regard to third degree methods they thought their information came from a reliable source, and that as a result of inquiries they had found that the paragraph was unjustified and were satisfied that it ought not to have appeared.

Defendant, who pleaded guilty and reserved his defence, was committed for trial. Bail was al-

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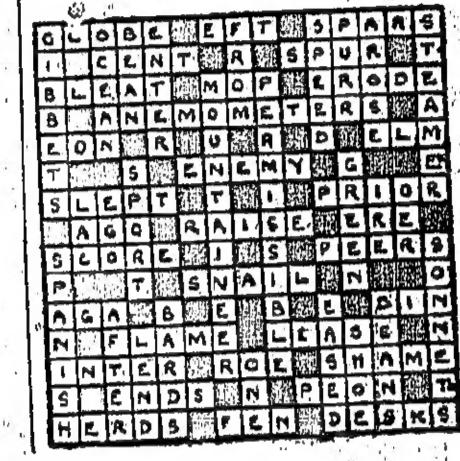
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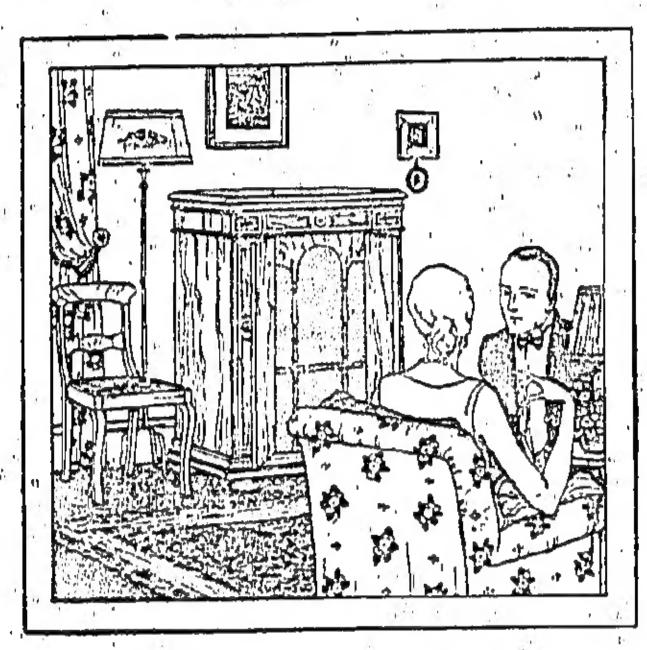
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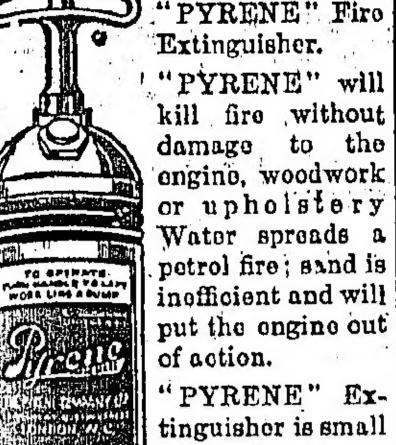




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## THE CAPSUIMUN. COLLISION.

Kwong-Moonshine collision, and than difficult, to see and to under nothing further has happened stand why the Hongkong Governsince to indicate whether this is ment has apparently deliberately destined to be the last of the burked its responsibilities, in not affair. Naturally, that is causing ordering the Court to make the much adverse comment in ship- fullest inquiry into all aspects of ping circles, and the Hongkong the case." That may be considerauthorities are being taken to task | ed in certain quarters to be overfor seemingly shirking the respon- strong criticism, but in order to that a large loss of life had been should certainly, without any due to the locked grilles giving further delay, state definitely what many of the passengers no time its intentions are in the matterto reach safety, so that they were whether nothing more is to be drowned "like rats in a trap," we done, or whether some kind enquiry into the merits versus The mass of public opinion is undemerits of the grille system: doubtedly in favour of a full in-Our remarks were necessarily restrained, for the matter was practically sub judice. A few days later the Marine Court was constituted, and, much to the surprise of those who thought it was to have had wide powers, it was announced at the outset that the insofar as concerned the responsibility or otherwise of the the Moonshine. There was a hint that the question master of a foreign ship" might Court sat, heard the evidence, and found that the Moonshine was not to blame. That constituted a verdict of the left-handed variety. It found that a specified person was not to blame, but nothing was said about who was actually at fault. With the loss of life, the important points arising from the clash between Board of Trade and local Anti-Piracy Regulations, and the fact of a collision having occurred within Hongkong territhought that little time would have been lost in setting a more serious enabling some official opinion to be expressed by the holding of inquests in the case of the victims. We presume the authorities are alive to the need for more searchknown to have gone down to the scene of the wreck-which, as it happens, is reported to have slid into deep water-but that is all the information available at the Court of Enquiry concluded.

If any evidence were required to be the home of banditti who, row is: "North-east" of the effect this silence on the

Such a state of affairs can hardly

be described as satisfactory:

PYRENE" Fire organ of the China Coast British mercantile marine—the Shanghai "PYRENE" will paper Shipping and Engineeringkill fire without from which we quote the followthe ing extract: "A large number of engine, woodwork lives are lost, including those of the British mate and British chief engineer of the Leung Kwong: It was obvious before the enquiry, that somebody was to blame for the collision; and it was equally obvious that something was wrong that a large number of people lost their lives "while three rescue vessels were on the scene within a few moments of the collision. assumption, therefore, that any is always roady government, inquiry into disaster would have among its Keop a "PYR essential terms of reference such ENE" handy on matters as the definite fixing of car and in garage. the responsibility for the collision, and the investigation of how comparatively so many lives came to be lost. But it was laid down definitely by the President of the ed by his terms of reference, that the scope of the enquiry did not extend further than the actual collision and did not include any reference to the loss of life involved thereby. A more callous and un- Strand East. satisfactory procedure would be difficult to imagine, for the known fact that when the collision occurred the grilles of the Leung Kwong were locked, and that a large number of the unfortunate passengers were caught and drowned like rats in a trap, with It is a fortnight now-since the no possibility of succour, seems Marine Court of Enquiry gave its studiously and designedly to have finding in the case of the Loung been avoided. It is difficult, more sibility involved. When the colli- avoid any misapprehension that sion occurred, and it was reported exists, the Hongkong Government commented on the necessity for an enquiry is eventually to be held. vestigation of the facts of the collision, and the responsibility, if any, for the deplorable loss of life involved therein.

## Bandit Outrages.

which took place in the north of May 22 when 9.11 inches were reterms of reference were only Shantung just over a week ago, gistered. The next highest was on the story of which was told in the previous day when 3.67 inches the Telegraph yesterday, must have I fell. Only on one other day during stirred the indignation of all who the month did the fall exceed three read of it. Over 1,800 villagers, inches. who had banded themselves toof the responsibility of "a British gether for protection against bandits and robbers and who retired ling, the master of the steam launch to a stockade at the top of a hill Crane was charged before Lieut. Inspector Blackman has attained be considered later. Well, the when they heard that bandits, Commdr. G. F. Hole, with towing a considerable degree of popularagainst whom they had previous- five lighters through the southern lity, and he will take with him the ly defended themselves, were entrance of the Yaumati typhoon best wishes of a very large circle about to make a mass attack, were shelter simulatacously and, plead- of friends. brutally killed. It must have ing guilty was fined \$5, the alternabeen a massacre of appalling hor- tive being five days' imprisonment ror-a terrible slaughter of men, with hard labour. women and children. The most saddening feature of incidents "A Chinese sentenced to ten weeks such as this, (and there are ban- hard labour by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest dit outrages of lesser degree prac- this morning, was shown to have tically every day in some part or specialised in carpenters' saws. another of China) is that little Eight carpenters from various disor nothing effective is done by the | tricts came into the Court to claim Chinese authorities. It is the re- that the eight saws found in the ward of mis-government that law possession of the defendant, when and order and peace should be le was arrested, belonged to them. absent. Wherever there is bad Defendant was endeavouring to distorial waters, one would have Government-corruption, gread, pose of the saws to a marine ignorance and a want of benign hawker at Taiyuen Street, when he administration—there is found a was observed by a policeman and want of restraint by the ne'er-do- arrested. enquiry on foot, or at least well element, of the populace. One has only to think of such countries as Mexico, Albania; Morocco and China to realise that ill-educated people need good government if outrages-of-outlawry are to be controlled. China is ridden with bandits and robbers ing enquiries, for naval divers are mainly because those in whose hands lies the administration of the various districts are corrupt 122° Long., E. 20° Lat., N. moving he all but succeeded in extracting wash of the ship's progress opportunists who fail to apply the corrective of the law and are unfitted for the duties of the posts Channel. into which they have schemed and insinuated themselves. And until portaissued at noon to-day, states end of two weeks since the Marine there does arise a governing class that the typhoon is about 450 miles fitted by ability and integrity to E.S.E. of Hongkong, moving rule for the benefit of the gov- W.N.W., at a rate of about ten erned instead of for the benefit of miles an hour. themselves. China will continue The forecast up till noon to-mor-

by ghastly acts of terrorism.

## DAY BY DAY.

THERE IS NO REVENCE SO COM-PLETE AS FORGIVENESS .- H. W

Volunteer Defence Corps Orders are published to-day instead of on Friday, as usual.

Yesterday's cases of notifiable disease included three of typhoid fever and one of small-pox.

It is advertised that Messra Lane, Crawford, Ltd. will be open from 8.30 a.m. till 1 p.m. as usual on Saturday, June 4.

watch, valued at \$60, has been re-It would be a not unnatural ported to the police by Mrs. Edvards, living at No. 6 Tregunter guise.

> A Rudge motor-cycle, which be-Station, according to a report received this morning.

residence at 41, Granville Road, on a gigantic fireworks display. Tuesday night, and escaped with Court, who undoubtedly was guid- property amounting to \$132 in

> A Chinese male and female were removed to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday suffering from poisoning, after a meal they ate at their home at No. 25, Bonham

> This morning's Harbour Office Reports gave nine arrivals and 15 departures, of which two and three respectively were British, leaving 55 vessels in harbour, of which 15 were British.

The manager of the Yee Sang piece-goods shop at No. 77, Jervois Street, has reported to the police that a foki is missing from his post, after being sent out to pay \$2,331 to a Japanese firm.

A Chinese married woman took an overdose of opium following"a domestic quarrel at her home at 74, Woosung Street, yesterday. She died soon, after being taken to the Kwong Wah Hospital

Taking opium pills to relieve himself of stomach pains, a Chinese lapsed and was taken to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday suffering from poisoning."

tions at Morrison Hill at noon on Tuesday a Chinese named Au Yungchu, who lived nearby at Morrison rock and was killed. The body was | West. removed to the Mortuary.

Holiday excursions to Macao by the Hongkong, Canton and Macao s.s. Company, are announced over the week-end from Friday to Monday, at a return fare of \$5. Vessels. leave Hongkong at 9 a.m. and return at 3.30 p.m., tickets being available for the full period.

Rainfall at the Botanical Gardens for the month of May was 26.88 The horrible bandit outrage inches, the heaviest fall being on

At the Marine Court this morn-

tory, this morning, by the Ameri-

The Royal Observatory, in its re-

periodically, will shock the world freshening; fine at first,

## SEARCHLIGHTS IN ACTION.

WARSHIPS GIVE A DISPLAY.

Crowds watched a very effect ocuvre on outpost duty. The serive rehearsal yesterday evening, geant told him to look out for the by British warships in harbour, of Colonel coming to inspect the the searchlight display which is post. to take place to-morrow night on the occasion of the King's birth-

Shortly before eight o'clock, the first intimation to the public of the display came in the form of piercing beams of brilliant light directed on shipping in the harbour, and later the rays were focussed on buildings along the The loss through theft of a wrist waterfront, on both sides of the harbour, so that they stood out very clearly and in an unusual

Perhaps the most attractive part of the exhibition came at the end, when the searchlights were whirllonged to a police officer, was stolen ed about, and their beams were yesterday from the Central Fire directed at all parts of the sky. A low bank of clouds reflected the rays, adding to the general effect. It was a demonstration of how Climbing a waterspout, a "cat- warships can "spot" for aircraft, burglar" entered Mr. A. L. Alves' and to the beholder appeared like

Within a few minutes the show was over, and Hongkong and Kowloon returned to its interrupted dinner, or whatever else it was doing at the time."

## ALLEGED FRAUD.

TOBACCO AND BISCUITS "FOR STUDENTS."

Yesterday, says a report in a local vernacular paper, a young Chinese dressed in student's attire went to the tobacco shop Yung Chan Chai, in Nam Pak Hong Street, and ordered ten tins of cigarettes and some biscuits, stating that he was responsible for a party given in his school, which more than 400 students would at-The goods were duly hand-

Later in the day, the man again went to the shop, and ordered more goods. The unsuspecting owner of the shop then sent a boy to a near-by tobacco shop, Wong Pui Kee, to get the cigarettes for living at 28, Stanley Village, col- his customer, but the owner of the other shop sent a foki to go with the purchaser to get the money upon delivering the goods. their way to the supposed school While watching blasting opera- the customer quickened his pace, and then took to his heels. The two fokis of the tobacco shops were better runners, however, and Hill Road, was struck by a piece of he was caught in Queen's Road

## POLICE OFFICER RETIRING.

DIVISIONAL INSPECTOR W. F BLACKMAN.

A connexion with the Police Force of the Colony extending over n period of 27 years will be severed this month by the departure on retirement of Divisional Inspector W. F. Blackman, who is leaving with his daughter by the s.s. Mantua on June 25. Mrs. Blackman and a son are already at Home, having left previously.

During his stay in Hongkong,

He originally came to the Colony as a Marine, and the local force Police Constable in 1900. In January, 1907, he became a Lance Sergeant, and Sergeant in April, 1913. He wa promoted to the rank of Inspector in February, 1922, and he has also been acting Chief Inspector.

## ARTFUL DODGER.

NAVAL MAN'S CAPTURE.

Steward · Officer Spiteri, H.M.S. Wolsey, in evidence at the Police Court this morning against The telegram quoted below was | tempting to steal his purse, relatartful trick to avoid detection. can Consulate General, Hongkong: He held a fan against witness' 2nd., 1.30 a.m.-Typhoon in about face, while with the other hand, This is in the Balintang the officer's jacket.

The trick being evident to the officer, the latter immediately caught hold of the defendant's neck, and held him until a Chinese Police Sergeant took him in

Major C. Willson sentenced defendant to twelve strokes of the boy was only 16 years of age.

# The Very Idea!

An Irish recruit was engaged for the first time in a field man-

An hour later he returned and asked" the soldier, "Has the Colonel been here?" Receiving an answer in the negative, he went away, returning later, with the same inquiry."%

Later the Colonel appeared, and as the recruit did not salute, the officer asked, "Do you know who

"I do not," said the recruit. "I am the Colonel."

"Faith, then, you'll catch it!" said the soldier. "The sergeant's asked twice for you already."

She stood against the liner's

And said, "I feel it rock.", imagination just though-

The boat was at the dock.

Barrister at Bow County Court: your wife argumentative?-Man: No more than you are.

Landlady at Willesden: I have given my lodger notice nine times, but he is still with me. Magistrate: He is as bad as the cat with nine lives.

Wife at Willesden, showing a blackened eye: My husband gave me this, and he has given me scores, like it. Magistrate: Then take a summons. Wife: 1 would rather he had a warning."

Willesden wife: I try to be silent, but it makes no difference; to my husband, and he gets just

Kent magistrate to a woman: You will go to prison for fourteen days, Woman: Prison! I was only requested to pay a fine when I was here before.

A remarkable clause regarding the disposition of his body is contained in the will of Mr. James Meredith, of Ross, Herefordshire, formerly in business as a draper and milliner, who died at eightythree, leaving £11,747.

clause reads: "My body may be disposed of as my executors think fit; my personal view is that a funeral pyre on the top of Penyard or the Chase Woods, where I enjoyed the shooting for so many years, would be an ideal method-ny ashes cast to the winds of heaven and so remain in death as I have been in life-free as God's air."

A blind woman, who was the complainant in a case at the Marylebone Police-court, said the man in the defendant's box was not her husband. .. "I know it." she added ,"although he has been away for ten years."

It was then ascertained that another man of the same name had answered the woman's summons.

Youth has always to pay the price for war .- Mr. David Davies,

East Anglians have always been the shield and bulwark of England.—Lord Allenby. The academic mind loves any-

thing it cannot understand; that is why relativity is so fashionable.—Professor A. W. Bickerton. Edward Arthur Davidson, aged twenty, died in Lincoln Hospital

from injuries received at Lincoln

pleasure fair. He is stated to

have been dancing the Charleston in a steam yacht in motion, when he slipped, and his head came in contact with the seats. He has sixteen golf champion-

ship cups, two swimming medals, eight cups for long-distance running, three for boxing, one for rackets, and one for tennis. He is a pawnbroker.

SAI ON'S EXPERIENCE.

DRAGON BOAT

SWAMPED.

"According to the vernacular papers, the s.s. Sai On, of the Tung a young Chinese charged with at- On Shipping Company, while on the voyage back to Hongkong from received from the Manila Observa- ed how the defendant adopted an Canton yesterday morning, passed some Dragon Boats which were practising their rowing races near Sham a purse from the breast-pocket of swamped one of the boats. The steamer was stopped, but it was seen that all those who had been thrown into the water, about ten men, were good swimmers, and reached safety. The Sai On then

The vernacular press reports that immediately afterwards, some shots were fired, and it is assumed that some of the boatmen, angered by rattan, on being informed that the the mishap, had fired in the direction of the ship.

UNIVERSITIES SOON TO BE REOPENED.

NATIONALIST PROGRAMME.

Interviewed by a reporter of vernacular paper yesterday, Mr. 'Chung Wing-kwong, one of the seven directors in the Department of Education of the Nationalist Government, who is on his way to Nanking, stated hat the ment of Education would in Shanghai being; but when things in Nanking were more or less settled they would move to that city,

The first step taken in the way of reorganising education China would be to re-open all the universities that have been closed in the past few months, owing to political or financial difficulties, or to agitation on the part of the students or workers.

versity in Nanking. of educational projects for China.

## DRAGON BOAT RACE

AT ABERDEEN ON SATURDAY

It is announced that a dragon boat race meeting, associated with the celebration of the Dragono Boat Festival, will again be held this year, although shorn of much of the splendour of former years when there was much more influential "support extended to, it than is the case now.

On Saturday afternoon, it is stated, a few boats, the exact number of which is not yet known, will compete in races to be held at Aberdeen.

When the promotors of the old Ming Yuen Garden enterprise were still in business a few years ago, it was the custom to have the races held off their gardens at North Point; when purse strings were readily unfied to provide prizes for the winning team. Since then, the Colony has fallen on lean times. but enthusiasm persist among the fishermen of Aberdeen, who will again this year carry on the traditions of the village. have prepared two boats for the races, and there are hopes that other boats from Shaukiwan wil join in the contests. In any case, the Chinese public are making holiday on Saturday, and are promised some good sport if they go to Aberdeen.

## SOVIET PLOTS.

(Continued from Page 1.) ...

definitely and in detail how our i foreign policy towards China should be conducted," he writes, because the international situa- pute. tion is a very delicate one, but from what I have already written readers of intelligence will be able to form an idea of my views on what our foreign policy should be.

"I have just one thing else to say and that is to warn the Japanese not to be content with merely listening to pleasant words about their relationship with the Chinese, but to keep their eyes glued on the cold prosaic happenings in China to-day, and on the real facts of the situation, for only thus can an accurate policy be formulated and a grave catastropho be averted."

## POET'S CORNER.

POTTED NONSENSE:

How fragrant the streams of Hongkong's Fair Isle! "fair isle" I don't mean

Though you sweat it is true, Till you're red, white and blue,

How wondrous the life out at Hongkong's Shek-O1 (By Shek-O I don't mean a topec) Though the heat is so bad,

It drives you quite mad, In fact, one or two folk have gone

How swift is the life of the service "service" I don't speak

Though he works like the deuce; Wears plus-fours-somewhat loose, And, if rubbed the wrong way, is menucel

MOPOKE.

MORE U.S. MARINES COMING.

(Continued from Page 1.) THE NORTHERN ARMIES.

Why They Retreat.

The complete collapse of the morale of the Northern armies must be manifest now when "the Communists and Nationalists are merrily fighting one another and still have energy enough to push up the Peking-Hankow and the Tientsin Pukow Railways and throw the Honan and Shantung armies into retreat, comments the N. C. Daily News. The military material that the Southern generals are using has generally been assumed to be the worst in China A foreigner who was in Soochow few days ago conversed with the barefooted, ill-equipped rabble at the station and found that they were a wholly unorganized horde of riff-raff from no less than 14 provinces, adventurers all, with no more enthusiasm for the famous three principles than any of us has. The most notable names in the Tang Seng-chi is advancing upon list of universities that have Chengchow, if all reports are to to reach the islands not later than

Eastern University in Nanking, shek's army, we should never have locomotives, coaches and freight the Man Wah University in Wu- dreamed of pitting them against cars will be used on the north chang, the St. John's University in the calloused Shantung forces of main line. Shanghai, the Shan Ar University Chang Chung-chang, or the highly The 3,000 tons of 65-pound rails "in Changsha, and the Kinling Uni disciplined and "well equipped placed with the Bethlehem Steel Sun Chuan-fang soldiery. There Corporation of Philadelphia are Mr. Chung concluded by saying seems to be no doubt that the intended to replace those of a that, following the re-opening of Northerners have made up their branch line also on the north line. the above-mentioned seats of minds that they are beaten and Mr. Paez said the company has learning, a general meeting of all that their confidence has collapsed just completed putting in the the educationists in China would utterly. Loyalty and good faith heavier 65-pound "rails" on both be called, to draw up a programme are dead among them. Their main lines, north and south, and whole concern, when a war starts, in some of the branches to suit make sure that unit "A" does not He said, however, that no purget a chance to run before unit chase of more rails is planned in "B" is ready to run. The the near future. as profitably have been thrown the time of the Great War. into the Yellow Sea as spent upon soldiers who have no faith in their officers or in one another. We are not taking sides but are simply echoing fixed Chinese opinion when we assert that a fewdivisions of Shantung and Honan troops could swarm over the South and put the "Nationalist" armies to flight with the greatest ease. Nothing, however, can make a unit fight when it is convinced that its officers are "duds," that defeat is inevitable and that the enemy is spiritually right and

## BREAK WITH RUSSIA.

entitled to victory.

RYKOFF TALKS OF "PRELUDE TO WAR."

Moscow, June 1. "The rupture is a prelude to war in the present international situation, therefore it is pregnant with grave complications.... To this Ltd., advertise that all departments danger of war the Soviet Govern- will be closed on Friday, June 3 and ment opposes a steady policy of Monday, June 5." The Hongkong peace," said M. Rykoff, the Presid- Dispensary will be open for the disent of the Council of Commissars, pensing of prescriptions from 10 in a speech on the Anglo-Seviet dip- a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 6 p.m. to formatic rupture, which he made at 7.30 p.m. on these days. On Satur-'a plenary session in Moscow.

Rykoll gave as instance the acts of "counter-revolutionary espionage; by England' in Russia, but the Soviet had "made no luss" over it, as it was not considered that these acts warranted a diplomatic dis-

rupture would hurt Britain more than it would Russin .- Renter.

MARCH SETS HIGH RECORD.

Washington, May 24.-The department of commerce reported to-day that Philippine exports in March, 1927, reached a value higher than during any other month since 1920 and considerably larger the Daily Express. than during March last year. The sugar shipment was as heavy as [ normal and the value of copra and coconnut oil was much larger than usual."

The report for the quarter shows exports from the Philippines valued at Pesos 95,000,000 compared with Pesos 76,000,000 for the first quarter last year. Imports for the quarter were Or the forecast denotes 'twill be wet- Pesos 4,000,000 less than during the first quarter last year. Imports of cotton cloth during the month of March, however, were a million pesos greater than during February of this year.

United States exports of iron to the Philippines showed improvement. The export of automobiles, wheat and flour to the islands decreased. The difference between exports to the Philippines from the United States and imports from the Philippines by the United States for March was Pesos 2,900,-1 000 in favour of the Philippines.

## MANILA RAILWAY EXPANSION.

MORE ROLLING STOCK ON ORDER.

The Manila Railroad Company has placed an order with its New York purchasing agent for the purchase of three giant locomotives of the 3-cylinder type, six new coaches and 50 freight cars, it is learned from Jose Paez, general manager of the railroad com-

pany, reports the Manila Bulletin. The agent has been told to call for bids at once with the usual instructions regarding award to the most advantageous bid for the equipment and materials desired. The entire purchase is estimated at more than Pesos 500,000 and will complete similar equipment, bought last year. The three new engines bought last year, were recently mounted and were tested last week ready to be placed on the main north line. They also are, of the 3-cylinder type.

## Due in December.

The new equipment is expected closed their doors recently are the be accepted, with just this kind of December. Mr. Paez explained Canton Christian College (the a Hunanese organization; and, that it is intended to take care of Ling Nam College), the South- from what we know of Chiang Kai- the company's future needs. "The

is with watching one another to the newly bought heavier engines.

enormous sums that are spent This railway company, founded upon ammunition and equipment, and operated by British interests, guns and aeroplanes, might just was sold to its present owners at

## MAJOR SHOT BY HIS WIFE.

A SCOTTISH TRAGEDY.

London, May 7 .- Asking her neighbour to stay with her untithe police came as she had shot her husband Major William Ludgate, an ex-army, officer, Mrs. Ludgate last night sent her son to fetch the police.

The tragedy happened in furnished apartments at Ayr, where the Major and Mrs. Ludgate, their three sons and two daughters lived on his return from India. The Major was an Irishman, and died in hospital. His wife was born in

India of English parentage. She was arrested to-day and was charged with shooting and causing fatal wounds.

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The following general knowledge paper has been taken from Answers, for those who need them, will be found on Page 12

of this issue. 1.-How large are the figures on the face of Big Ben? 2.-What is the Trial of the Pyx, and where does it take place? 3.-What is the present approximate population of the earth?

4.—Why is a policeman called a "neeler"? "Roaring 5.-What "are Forties"?

6.—What is a gimbal? 7.-Which is the greater distance -through the earth, at the Poles, or at the Equator? 8.—Who invented the saxophone? 9.-Where and what is London

Stone? 10.-What is understand by the "Sicilian Vespers"? 11.-From which of Shakespeare's plays is the largest number of quotations mada?

12.—What is the meaning of a "Parthian Shot"? 13,-Who said "Anything but history, for history must be false?"

14.-Who was Mr. Boffin? 15.—What is a vamp?

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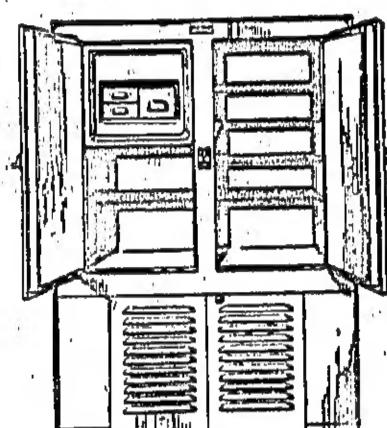
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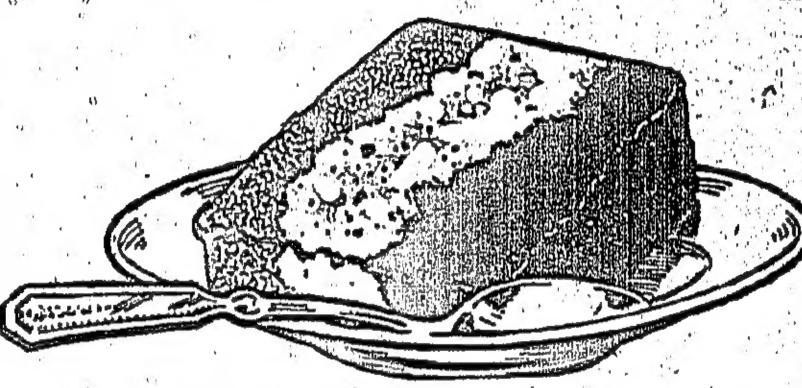
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## THE VOLUNTEERS.

ORDERS FOR THE COMING

Hongkong, June 2. 1.-King's Birthday Parade, 3rd June, 1927.

The corps will take part in above mentioned parade which will take place at 8.45 a.m. on Friday, 3rd June, 1927, at Happy Valley.
Rendezvous on Happy Valley, Football ground at 8.10 a.m.

Two special trams will leave East Bound Stopping Place Garden Road at 7.45 a.m. Dress: Review order khaki, helmets, khaki jackets, modals, shorts, putties, belt and bayonets, rifle and sling.

Scottish Company will conform, dressed in the kilt, as for G. O. C.'s Inspection, wearing helmets.

Artillery and Armoured Car Companies will conform wearing shorts, bandoliers, bolt and bayonet. Dress for Officers. All Officers at tending the above parade as specta-tors will dress in Review order khakl.

#### 2.—Recruits Parade.

All recruits of the Corps will parado at Volunteer Headquarters at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, 7th June, 1927, for Musketry Instruction. Dresst Uniform optional, braces" and pouches, rifle and bayonet.

## 3,-Signal Class.

Trained Men of No. 4 Platoon and those attending Signal Class from other units will parade at Volunteer Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, 9th June, under 2/Lieut. M. G. Noll. Dress: Mufti.

## 4.-Mounted Infantry Company.

All ranks will parade at Stables on Thursday, 0th June at 5.30 p.m. Dress: Mufti.

## 5.-Armoured Car Company.

All N. C. Os will parade at Volunteer Hendquarters at 5.80 p.m. on Thursday, 9th June for Machine Gun

5.30 p.m.

#### 7.—No. 4 Platoon.

Parade at Miniature Range at Corps Headquarters on Wednesday, Company, as from 1/6/27. No. 1181 Sth June at 5.30 p.m. for Musketry Pte. C. V. M. Castro, No. 9 Platoon, as from 28/5/27. Musketry Part I will be fired at Stonecutters Range on Sunday, 12th June. Range Officer: 2/Lieut. M. G.

Launch will leave Murray Pier at 9 a.m. and call at Kowloon Pier at 9.10 a.m.

## 8,-Scottish Company.

Tuesday, 7th June, 1927.—Special Vickers Gun Class. The following Officers, N. C. Os and men will parade every Tuesday at 5.30 p.m. at Corps Hoadquarters for class of Machine Gun Instruction.

Headquarters: Capt. D. C. Logan, M. C. and Lieut. K. S. Morrison. Ptes. No. 6. Platoon: Ptes. J. J. Cameron, H. G. Cooper and C. R. Logan, No. 7. Platoon: Cpl. T. P. Saunderson, L/Cpls. R.O. Sutherland and D. Lyon and Pte. D. Harvey.

## Thursday, 9th June, 1927.

All Platoons Vickers Gun Instruction at Platoon Headquarters. Members of the Company are again reminded that rifle, belt and bayonets are to be worn on all parades irrespective of the nature thereof.

Platoon Commanders will see that 5 minutes, squad or arms drill and 5 minutes musicetry muscle exercise are carried out at the close of all parades.

## 9,-Portuguese Company.

There will be no parade on Friday, 3rd June, 1927. Musketry Part I will be fired by the above Company at Stonecutters Range on Sunday, 5th June, 1927.

Range Officer: 2/Lieut. S. Jarvis,

All trained men and recruits who have fired at Kennedy Road or Peak Ranges will attend.

Launch will leave Murray Pier at 9 a.m. and call at Kowloon Pier at

Dress: Uniform or musti optional, but rifle, bayonet, pouches, braces and

belt must be taken.

Arms will be drawn from Corps
Headquarters on Thursday, 2nd June,
between 9 a.m. and 12 noon, or 2 and
4 p.m., or 5 and 6 p.m., and on Saturday, 4th June, between 9 a.m. and

## 10.—Casuals.

Musketry Part I. will be fired at Stonecutters Range on Sunday, 12th June, 1927. Range Officer: 2/Lieut. M. G. Noll.

This is the last opportunity for members of the Corps who have not yet completed Part I to fire. Members must fire on the above date to qualify for efficiency.

Launch will leave Murray Pier at

a.m. and call at Kowloon Pier at Dress and Arms will be detailed i next week's Orders.

## 11.—Strength.

The following are taken on the strongth and posted as under:

No. 1251 Ptc. D. L. Keith No. 6. Platoon dated 26/5/27. No. 1252 Ptc. R. J. Goodman No. 6. Platoon dated 27/5/27. No. 1253 Ptc. F. Cowherd A.C. Company dated 80/5/27. No. 1254 Ptc L. J. Cave A. C. Company dated 30/5/27. No. 1255 Ptc. P. L. P. Thomas A. C. Company dated 30/5/27. No. 1256 Pte. J. C. Thomson No. 7. Platoon dated 81/5/27. No. 1257 Ptc. R. W. Sapsed A. C. Company dated 1/6/27.

## MEXICAN BOYCOTT.

ALLEGED "SYSTEMATIC EMBARGO" BY U. S.

Mexico City, June 1. As a reprisal for what is interpreted here as a "systematic embargo placed by the United States on merchandise bought by different Mexican Government departments in the United States, President Calles has ordered all Government departments to boycott American goods .-- Reuter's American Service-

## SPANISH ASSEMBLY.

NEW BODY TO CONSIST OF 300 MEMBERS.

Madrid, June 1. Spain's new National Assembly meets on the 13th September. The Government has issued a lengthy statement to the Press explaining that the Assembly will consist of 800 members while a plenary sitting will be held weekly to which the Press and the public will be admitted.-Reuetr.

## No. 655 Ptc. D. L. McWhirter, No. 7. Platoon is appointed Lance Corporal, as from 1/6/27.

No. 460 Ptc. H. T. Buxton is transferred from No. 2. Platoon to the Mounted Infantry Company, as from

No. 1085 Pte. E. L. Groome and No. 1160 Pto. H. G. Williams are transferred from Armoured Car Section to Motor Cycle Section, as from

# The following are granted leave of absence from the Corps:-Thursday, 9th June for Machine Gun Instruction. Dress: Mufti. 6:—Infantry Company. On Fridays, 10th and 17th June at 5.30 p.m. All N. C. Os and other ranks as detailed by O. C. Company will parade at Corps Headquarters for a special N. C. O's course of training in Vickers Gun. The classes will continue, to assemble every Friday at 5.30 p.m. Thursday, 9th June for Machine Gun no been from the Corps:—No. 1235 Pte. J. K. Shaw, A. C. Co., from 1/6/27 to 28/6/27. No. 980 Pte. J. A. Summers, No. 7, Platoon, from 25/5/27 to 30/6/27. No. 925 Pte. J. C. Guimgam, No. 4, Platoon, from 24/5/27 to 30/6/27. No. 480 Pte. J. A. D. Morrison, A. C. Co., from 1/5/27 to 30/4/28. No. 498 Pte. V. R. Jones, A. C. Co., from 1/6/27 to 31/5/28. No. 1011 Pte. F. K. Garton, A. C. Co., from 11/6/27 to 10/2/28.

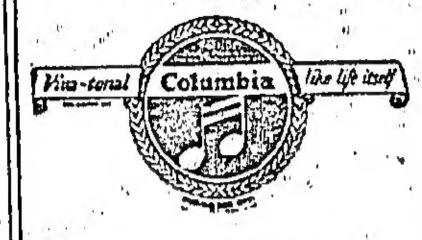
15 .- Resignations. The following are permitted to resign from the Corps:— No. 485 Spr. H. S. Martin, Engineer

R. A. WOLFE-MURRAY, MAJOR. ADJUTANT, H. K. V. D. CORPS.

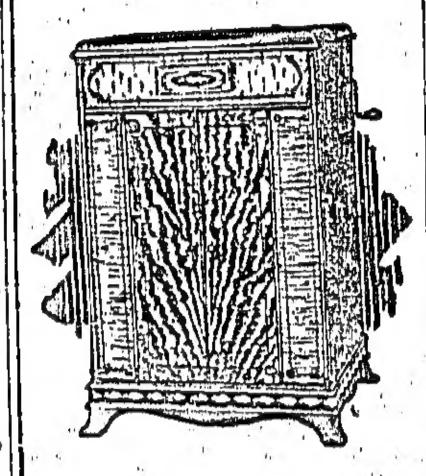
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## SINGAPORE.

AN-INNINGS.

(Our Own Correspondent.)

Singapore, June 1. Resuming their innings at 32 for two wickets, Singapore Cricket Club were all out for 101. Everett took five wickets for 45, and Macartney four for 38.

The Australians having made 281 Singapore were obliged to follow on, but in their second effort fared even worse, being all out for 89. Australia thus won by an innings and 91

Everett was again successful with the ball, his express deliveries taking flye wickets for 22. Andrews took four for 86.

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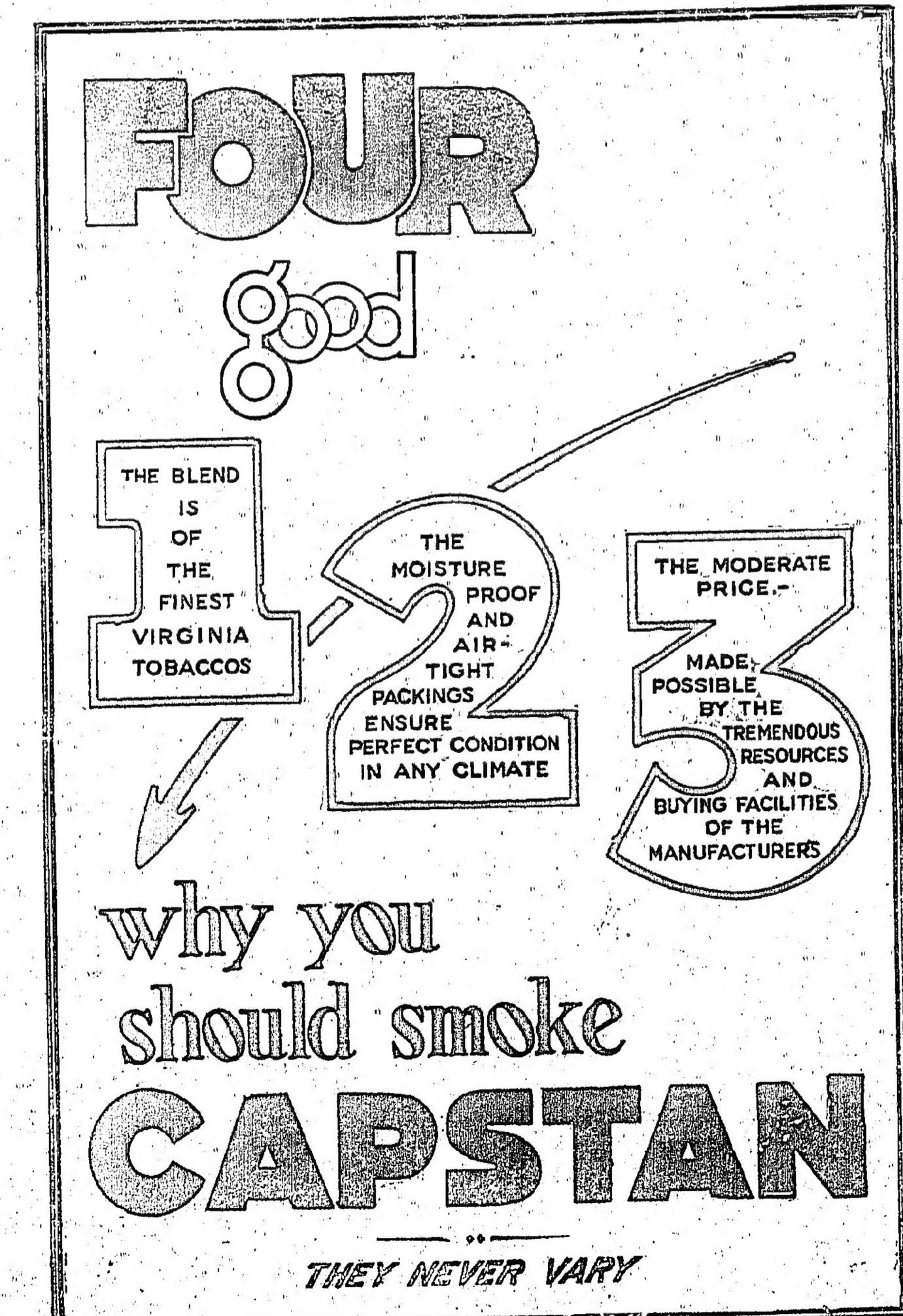
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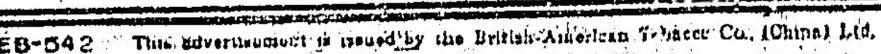
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## FAR EASTERN GAMES.

PLANS PROGRESSING AT SHANGHAL.

Plans for holding the Far Eastern rames are progressing rapidly in Shanghal, according to information

Tennis courts, tracks and other requisites have been layed out and arranged in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Far Eastern games.

The baseball field will be one of the best in the Far East. It is located in the French concession and right now is in excellent condition. The track is in fairly good shape, and by the time the opening date of the games arrive, it will be in first class condition.

in yards and must be measured in meters, and the result of the measurement sent to the athletic federations of the other countries entered in the games for approval.

It has been officially stated that the games will be definitely held unless political conditions grow worse.

## LOCAL BASEBALL.

FILIPINOS.

An All-Filipino baseball team | At Tattenham Corner, the posion its way to Honolulu, and the tions were again changed, with the Pacific Coast of U.S.A., is passing exception of the leader, which through Hongkong on the Presi; continued to maintain a convincdent Pierce over the week-end, and ling lead, Shian Mor still retaining by speeding up the erection of the second place, but the third, fourth, Hongkong Paseball Association's and fifth positions being held by stand at Happy Valley, it has been Hot Night, Knight of Grail and found possible to arrange two Buckfast games for the visitors against an Towards the end, Hot Night all-Hongkong side.

ly scheduled to open on June 11th, up to Call Boy, which passed the and up to the present the players winning post first with case. "have had little opportunity of put- Buckfast crossed the line fourth ting in practice. It is however and Sickle fifth. thought that a side sufficiently strong to give the all-Filipino nine a good game can be selected, and the arrangement of these games | the preponderence of the fair sex should give local baseball a decided who outnumbered the men by two

## SCHOOL TENNIS.

ST. STEPHEN'S EASILY BEAT ST. JOSEPH'S.

St. Stephen's College justified " Echool yesterday, by defeating in Queen, the Prince of Wales, Prince bear Inagaki and Tanaka 9-2; beat ten odd in number, entered the big reputation as a tennis playing the annual fixture, a strong team Henry, the Duke and Duchess of Nakamura and Kayama, 8-3; beat from St. Joseph's College by 77 Connaught, Princess Mary, and games to 22. The St. Stephen's Viscount Lascelles, arrived with boys won all nine matches with their suites in seven motor cars, 25. comparative ease, the results be- and received ing as follows:

10-1; beat C. Barros and P. Vigar, first time. Officers from the winning by the narrow margin of 9-2; beat H. Chang and L. F. Chau, French Squadron visiting Ports- eight games, thus having revenge for

Stephen's) beat A. and E. Blanco, Jockev Club, and Captain Lind-9-2; beat Barros and Vigar, 8-3. bergh, the intrepid aviator, was beat Chang and Chau, 8-3.

H. N. Chau and T. G. Lin beat dale.—Reuters A. and E. Blanco, 6-5; beat Barros and Vigar, 9-2; beat Chang and Chau, 8-3.

#### TENNIS. EXHIBITION

FINANCIAL RESULT OF MATCHES.

The result of the exhibition matches arranged on behalf of the about £8,000. Ministering Children's League by the Hongkong Cricket Club was tickets and posters amount to the local Superintendent of the \$16.50. The net profits were, therefore, \$281.60.

League are most grateful to the system in the following times: Cricket Club for their valuable Egypt and South Africa .. 1.5 secs. assistance to achieve this result.

## TENNIS RESULTS.

FRENCH CHAMPIONSHIP

GAMES. St. Cloud, June 1. In the round before the semi- he laid out in his desert parish at finals in the French Hardcourt Goldfield, Nev., has devised a club Championships, Mrs. Peacock, which serves as driver, brassie. (South Africa); beat Fraulcia midiron, mashie and putter. Aussem, (Germany), 4/6, 6/2, 6/4. He is Father Alphonse Gavin, Spence, (South Africa), beat and the club, with a face adjustconqueror, Gentien, able on a steel cog to six positions,

## THE DERBY.

EASY WIN FOR THE FAVOURITE.

London, June 1. Mr. Frank Curzon's Call Boy Sir Victor Sassoon's Hot Night Major J. S. Cortauld's Shian Mor

Betting: Call Boy 4/1; Hot Night 9/2; Shian Mor 22/1. There was a field of twenty three, Call Boy won by two lengths from Hot Knight, with Shian Mor another eight lengths away.-Reuter.

#### Race Described."

Without being seriously challenged, and retaining a lead which Four hard tennis courts will be was gained at the start, Call Boy, used and all are in excellent shape. the Derby favourite romped home Three swimming pools are available an easy winner, the time being in Shanghai but the one that will be 2 min. 34.2/5 secs.; which is a used has not been selected. All of record for this event. The race the pools mentioned are measured was run in dull weather, and there was a large attendance.

Except for Stampede who tailed off, the runners obtained a fairly. good start, the lead being immediately taken by Call Boy, which beat Sickle to first place. Flashing Star filled the third position. | with Restigouche, Adam's Apple, Lone Knight and Hot Night following behind in close order.

'Call Boy was still to the front after the half wile point had been passed, the most noteworthy TWO MATCHES AGAINST THE change being that Shian Mor had come up to second place, and Sickle had dropped to third, and Adam's Apple had come up to fourth.

drew up to Shian Mor and took The Hongkong season is official- second place, but failed to catch

## Women Predominate.

A feature of the attendance was

noon, revealing the world's biggest | The Chinese won on all courts. pienic party, no fewer than 300,000 people lunching, with thousands more arriving in a continuous

There were a record number of motor cars, and several of the 300 buses present were fitted with

Their Majesties, the King and a tremendous evation. Earl Balfour, who H. K. Lee and H. N. Lee (St. attended as the guest of Lord Stephen's) beat A. and E. Blanco, Derby, witnessed the race for the yesterday afternoon, the home team mouth, numbering 65, were in their previous defeat. The match foreign missionary residence, K. S. Liang and Thong Lor (St. attendance as the guests of the was keenly contested and the result present as the guest of Lord Lons-

## Lucky Sweep Winner.

The lucky drawer of Call Boy in the Stillwell Cable Sweep is Mr. Kun, who is in charge of the cube sugar department of the China Sugar Refinery, and not a Portuguese member of the staff of Jardine, Matheson, and Company has reported yesterday. The prize is said to be worth

## Quick Cabling.

We are officially informed by and China Telegraph Co., Ltd., The President and Committee that the result of the Derby was of the Ministering Children's signalled over the Companies'

Australia ......32 Straits Settlements .......45 

Chicago, May 14.-A Catholic priest, tired of lugging a bag full of golf clubs around the golf course

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## LAWN TENNIS.

CHINESE "B" BEAT M.B.K.

On the Chinese R. C. ground yes-The first game will be played on In the morning the downs were terday afternoon the home "B" team Sunday and the second on Monday, obscured by a curtain of mist, met the M. B. K. "B" and won by which, however, cleared after the comfortable margin of 49 games.

The full results were: C. Choa and H. Lo beat Inagaki and Tanaka, 10-1; beat Nakamura and Kayama, 6-5; beat Kitajima and no active opposition foreign

Mizobe, 9-2. Lau Fuk-ki and Cheung Wing-kue mission beat Inagaki and Tanaka, 6-5; beat terior, a another outrage Nakamura and Kayama, 10-1; beat Kitajima and Mizobe, 8-3.

Totals: Chinese R. C. 74; M. B. K.

K.C.C. v. Kai Tack Aerodrome. A return match between the Kow- pound none dare utter an outcry loon Cricket Club and the Kai Tack or sound the alarm. Acrodrome was played at the K.C.C. teams have now won one match, and ed themselves to what seemed to a deciding game will be arranged later. The scores were as follows:

Lieut, J. H. Dale and Lieut, J. M. Leddra and A. Hanson 5-6. 6-5, lost to Leddra and Hanson 2-9.

Lieut. C. G. Trencham and Lieut. C. G. Couper (Aerodrome) lost to Abraham and Lyal 1-10; bent Gill

Abraham and Lyal 3-8, lost to Gill Hanson 4-7.

Totals: K.C.C., 75 games; Aerodrome, 67 games,

## MISSION LOOTED.

FURTHER OUTRAGE AT

LAUCHAUFU.

Wuchow, May 28. After a lull of several weeks during which time there has been work. occurred in the city of Lau-

Iu Tak-cheuk and Lau Man-ching, chanfu. A company of students, compound of a missionary society. Entrance was gained through a back door, and although there were women living on the com-

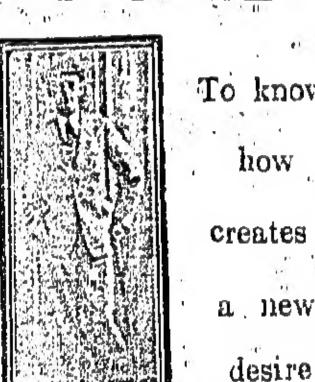
The students having entered the premises, smashed open an inner door and gained access to the Both damage to the building and helpstrike their fancy.

carrying on their work, word was astonished to see a fox, fresh from BRANCHES AND ACENCIES:ham and J. C. Lyal 7-4, beat E. Gill secretly sent to the authorities raiding a fowl yard, rush outand F. E. Lawrence 9-2, lost to C. H. and presently police arrived. The from among the trees with three Calcutta presence of the police so hamper- dogs in full cry. Its guilt was Lieut. K. Hunt and Lieut. A. V. R. ed the activities of the marauders evident, as it still had its prey, Keene (Aperodrome) lost to Abraham that they decided to leave, which a plump hen, in its mouth. An and Lyal 5-6, beat Gill and Lawrence they did, going out by the front impromptu hunt, in which the door and carrying with them what holiday-makers joined, followed, things they considered would be but the fox disappeared in the diuseful to them. Fortunately rection of Honey-lane without losand Lawrence 6-5, lost to Leddra and most of the personal effects of the ing its supper. missionaries were taken away Lieut. N. R. C. Munroe and Lieut. when they vacated the city sore K. W. Beard (Aerodrome) lost to months ago, so the loss is not great, and the damage to the and Lawrence 5-6, lost to Leddra and building is not extensive, consisting mostly in broken glass an damaged doors.

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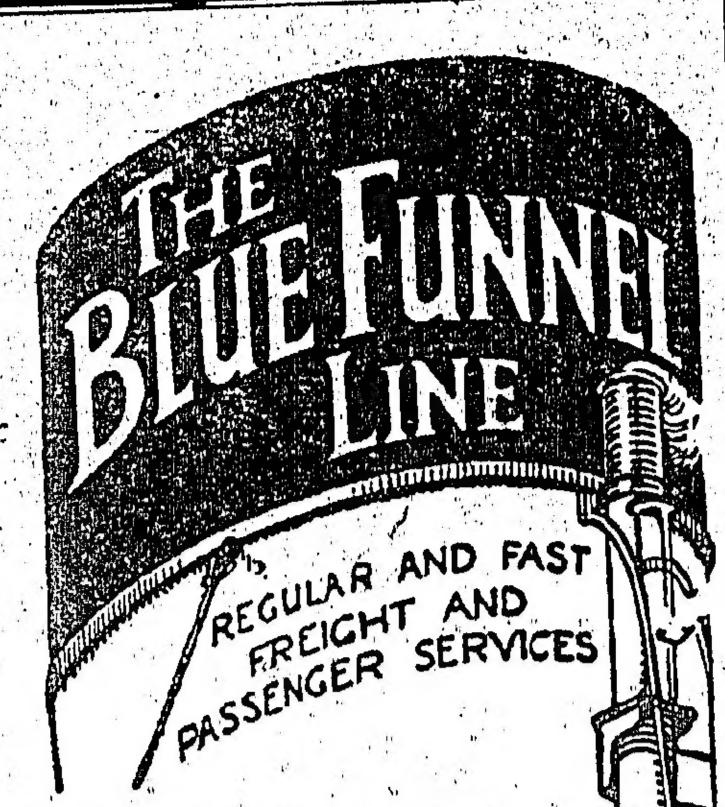
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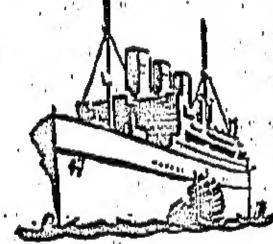
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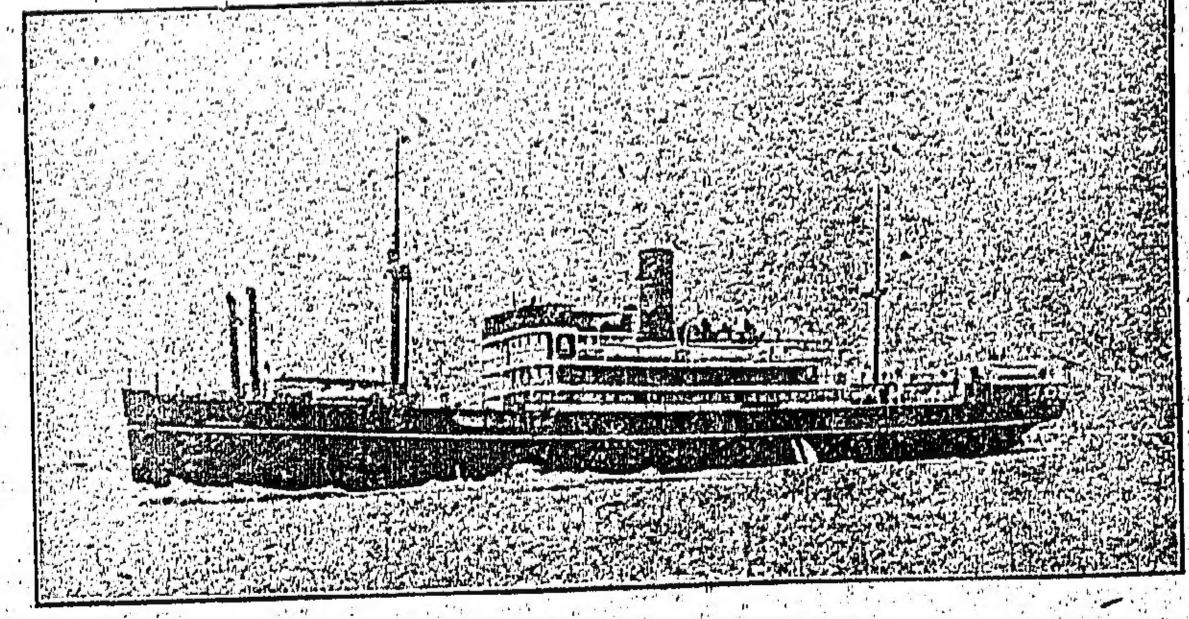
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Sailors according each item much sidence of the lard dealer in Belwell deserved appliance. Those well deserved applause. Those cher's Street there were two witcontributing to the programme nesses to the proceedings, unCyan Capt N. C. Gude, Mrs. C. W. known to the blackmailer who Hamill, Dr. J. E. How, Mr. H. A. After the man had said enough Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Ho and Pearne, (Charleston dancing), to commit himself the two wit- infant, Mr. A. J. Hughes, Mr. J. R. nesses, who were Chinese detec- Hooley, Mr. I. E. Hopkins, Mrs. Hall, tives in hiding, revealed themsel- Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Irwin, Master G. Irwin, Master F. Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. The arrested man revealed the P. C. Jau, Mrs. D. L. Jones, Dr. Evan identity of another man, who was Jones, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kanter, his superior. It was this man Mr. C. Kobitzsch, Mr. J. C. Kam, Mr. who had instructed the agent to Koo Koh Dong, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. That the men in hospital are say that he would not accept any Lo, Master Wilbur Lo, Hon, Dr. and That the men in hospital are say that he would not accept any mrs. R. H. Kotewall, Miss M. Kotenot being forgotten is shown by lars from the lard dealer and that a concert given by Miss Violet lars from the lard dealer and that Mrs. C. P. W. Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. H. if the money was not forthcoming Livingston, Mr. H. Livingston, Jr., the whole family would be exter- Miss B. Livingston, Master J. Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Leedy and The two men were brought be infant, Mr. W. H. Li, Mr. S. W. Lal, Misses v. Capell, M. Gittins, A. fore Mr. R.A.D. Forgest yesterday Steel, E. Rose, P. Capell, R. Wong, fore Mr. R.A.D. Forgest yesterday C. Y. Lo, Mr. T. Y. Lei, Mr. Lim N. Kelly, I. Schierhorst, and R. afternoon at the Central Magistriong Lay, Mrs. M. Lapin, Mr. and Woolley and Messrs. C. D. Lake, iracy and were sentenced to three Mrs. S. H. Law, Miss L. K. Law, Mrs. A. W. Ramsey G. Rond, G. Ar. and six months hard labour res. A. W. Ramsey, G. Bond, G. Ar- and six months hard labour res- J. M. Law, Mrs. Leong, Miss Leong, Mr. Lee Shiu Kai, Mr. and Lowther and infant, Mr. Loo Boo, Mr. Lum Wing Yan, Mr. J. H. M. McDonald, Mr. G. McCarty, Mr. N. J. MacLiod, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Morrison, Master C. Morrison, Miss Morrison, Infant Morrison, Mrs. J. W. Matthews, Miss Jean Matthews, Miss May Matthows, Miss Q. Matthews, Miss G. MacDonald, Lt. and Mrs. F. C. McConnell, Mrs. B. O. Mathews, Mr. Mah Shi Wun, Mr. P. H. Millard, Mr. Ma Gook Chow, Mrs. Mackenzie, Mr. J. D. Ness, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur North, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Noble, Mrs. S. S. Novak, Mr. M. J. Ossorio, Mrs. J. J. O'Donnell, Mrs. M. Ott, Mrs. J. Platt, Mrs. Leo. L. Pace, Master R. B. Pace, Mr. Eldon Potter, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Pope, Master K. Pope, Miss E. Pope, Sir Henry and Lady Pollock, Mrs. R. J. Paterson, Capt. and Mrs. S. T. Polk, Master S. Polk, Mr. C. W. Petitt, Mrs. D. P. Platt, Miss L. Platt, Mrs. A. Periera and infant, Master M. Periera, Master, E. Periera, Mr. Tam Pierce, Mr. T. Y. Poi, Mr. T. Prebensen, Mr. and Mrs. H. Richardson, Miss R. Richardson, Mrs. A. C. Raw. Mrs. A. J. Reid, Miss Mary Roid, Miss Marg, Reid, Mrs. M. Ruble, Mr. and "Mrs. V. L. Remedios, Mr and Amoy, N. China Mrs. H. S. Reynolds, Mr. J. A. Silva, Mr. T. G. Sinclair, Rev. and Mrs. H. Curwon Smith and children, Dr. F. Solis, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sherry, Miss C. M. Sherry, Master M. Sherry, Mr. 20th June | 23rd June | Amoy, N. China M. Spouse, Mr. C. G. Swiss, Miss B. Starck, Mr. T. Y. Sang, Mr. Shaw | 22nd June. | 23rd June. | M'ksar & Java Feung Chuen, Mdme Olga Strijevsky, Miss T. Strijevsky, Mr. M. Tai, Mr. E. T. Tseng, Mr. C. S. Tseng, Mrs. Tong Chuch Sze, Master Tong Y The steamers are all fitted throughout with electric light and Hung, Miss Tung S. Tai, Major H. have accommodation for a limited number of saloon-passengers. Tatlow, Mr. Tong Kai Chun, Mr. and All steamers carry a duly qualified surgeon. Cargo taken at Mrs. W. R. Williamson and infant Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wilson, Mr. Frank A. Weber, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Wong, Master L. K. Wong, Mr. Wong D. Chu, Mr. L. P. Woo, Mr. S. T. Wong, Mr. and Mrs. G. Y. Wong, Mrs. D. L. Wan, Mrs. C. Y. Wong, Mrs. H. Wankelan, Master Wankelan, Mr. C. M. Yip, Mr. Yum, Mr. Yeung Yung Gee, Mrs. S. P. Yeung, Mrs. C. S. Yung, Mr. and Mrs. Yu Gee Chin, Mr. and Mrs. Yong Tso Hang, Miss Yang Poh Quan, Mrs. Yang To Kya and Miss L. Jackson.

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To be in Peking by the end of June in order to avoid the inevitable crash awaiting the prosent Hankow situation was how a foreign observer, who arrived in Shanghai from Hankow two days ago, described the policies of the Wuhan government, says the N. C. Daily News. An offensive cam-paign along the Kinhan Railway line is what the Russian advisers of the Hankow Nationalists are planning, according to this informant.

The present situation, he said, had been caused chiefly through the embargo on silver which had so upset public confidence in the Chen-Borodin regime that even the coolies in the streets were demanding a change. To restore confidence in the banknotes issued Bank of China shone forth as the present time. Much of the tea only solution for the present party that as against 31 factories there in Hankow if the crash was to be in 1925 there are now only 12. avoided.

The Hankow market is flooded with this paper money. A fixed hongs it is evident that tea has not rate of 71 for taels into dollars and vice bersa is another demoralizing aspect of the situation. All movement of silver out of Hankow was at a complete standstill when the foreigner who has provided us with information left the city, and first-hand information elicited by him from Hankow authorities was enough to convince him that restoration of confidence in the paper currency was recognized by them as o prime importance.

The silver embargo, described as an emergency act, was instituted as a measure to prevent large quantities of silver being removed by wealthy Chinese and a few others when the first clouds appeared.

## The Sycee in Hankow.

in banknotes on the Central Bank of China in circulation, it is stated vaults only \$10,000,000 to cover the issue. Strangely enough, however, Chinese are optimistic regarding the particular phase of the situation. Should the Wuhan government capture Peking as they had until a few days ago, so confidently broadcast" in Hankow their ability to do with decision and despatch the money market would automatically be restored and the situation pass off in the ordinary course of

"On the other hand the sam optimism is displayed by the bankers at the suggestion that Chiang Kai-shek might oust the presen Hankow government to supplant vith his own variety. In that case, it is believed that the money issued by the Nationalist Government would still be credited, as it is pointed out that Chiang Kai-shek recognized the Nationalist Government and has for his only aim setting rid of the Russian advisers to

the present Hankow regime.

At the present time it is impossible to get cappers, in large quantities. Supposing \$1 to equal about 300 coppers, when a purchase a made amounting to about 100 coppers Chinese shopkeepers refuse to give the change and point out things in the shop which can be purchased in order to bring the necessary change down to 30 or 40 coppers which is the most which can be wangled out under the present desperate financial plight.

## Business in Doldrums.

It can readily be seen that importing business, had it not stopped before this situation, would have felt the thumb-screw under the preent conditions. Exporting as far as old contracts are concerned goes on at a halting pace, the foreign Chinese buyers must pay for cargo in Central Bank of China notes, but the importer or exporter finds this currency of no value to him to pay for his side of the contract. Naturally no new stocks are finding Leir way into Hankow. As silver is not transferable from bank vaults, and as the banknotes are distrusted, the only way to realize money, or to save it as the Hankow merchant informant declared yesterday, is to ship cargo to Shanghai-any kind of eargo which can he changed into solid currency here. A knowledge of economics is not necessary in order to see what is meant, therefore, when the Wuhan government stress their present offensive campaign again, at the

Another aspect of the situation, which is extremely interesting, is that of the tea markets. The tea season has not opened yet, but it is believed that it will open as soon as some kind of change is indicated by the veering wind. Small Chinese farmers in Honan, and Hupeh, with their tea factories whence products are transferred to the Hankow ten hongs, have produced less this year, partly owing to the fighting in Honan and partly as a result of the silver embargo.

## MANILA YACHT CLUB.

CANNOT HAVE ANCIENT

The application of the Manila. Yacht Club to lease Fort San Antonio Abad site for a period of 50 years was turned down by the department of commerce and communications upon recommendation of A. T. Sylvester, director of publie works.

The director of public works states that the government has plans of its own regarding the improvement of the bay front from the Army and Navy club to Maytubig, Pasay, in accordance with the Burnham plan and that it would conflict with the government's plans to lease the old fort site. San Antonio Abad fort lies between Maytubig, Pasay, and the south end of the Cavite Boulevard. Mr. Sylvester, however, said that the club may build a club house at the site sought to be leased.

Figures show that in 1925 in Honan and Hupeh there were 158 such factories as against 67 at the Hupeh has suffered less, but whatever the expectations of the tea found its way to those in Hankow

to the present writing. At the first whist of the present trouble practically all tea stocks belonging to Chinese tea hongs were sent to Shanghai; sycee secured for them; and the silver deposited in substantial banks here. And, as there, are no ten stocks to speak of in Hankow, now, it is imagined that the tea hongs regard the present predicament with more than the customary

Coolie Class Discontent. Plenty of movement "of cargo

from Hankow to Shanghai vouched for by our informant, but the upward movement is nil from Shanghai. Regarding the shops catering to foreign or foreigneducated Chinese, present stocks are declared to be getting cleared With approximately \$40,000,000 out and among the patrons noted are some of the 200 to 300 Russian Bolsheviks who buy goods with that there is in silver sycee in bank banknotes which are discounted about 15 or 20 per cent, by the local stores. There are rumblings from the coolie class in Hankow, according to the information obtained in this direction, and far from being paid by Labour Unions for their strikes, it is stated definitely that each member must pay something towards the upkeep; of the Union. During the present mobilization for the Peking campaign, each union is expected to

furnish 20 men for the army. Our informant denied knowledge of the report that conscription is being carried on by the Hankow government at the rate of one man out of every three. The Wuhan government, he said, claims to have 30,000 men in the army a part of which has been engaged on the Honan border, and besides this there are 50,000 pickets available, according to Russian computation

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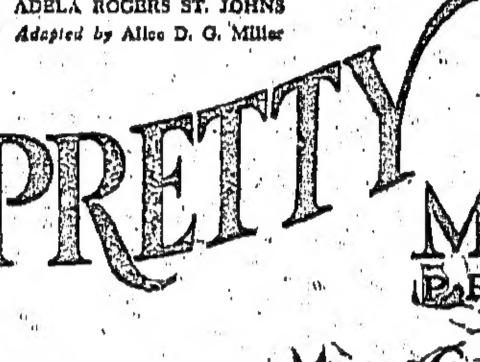
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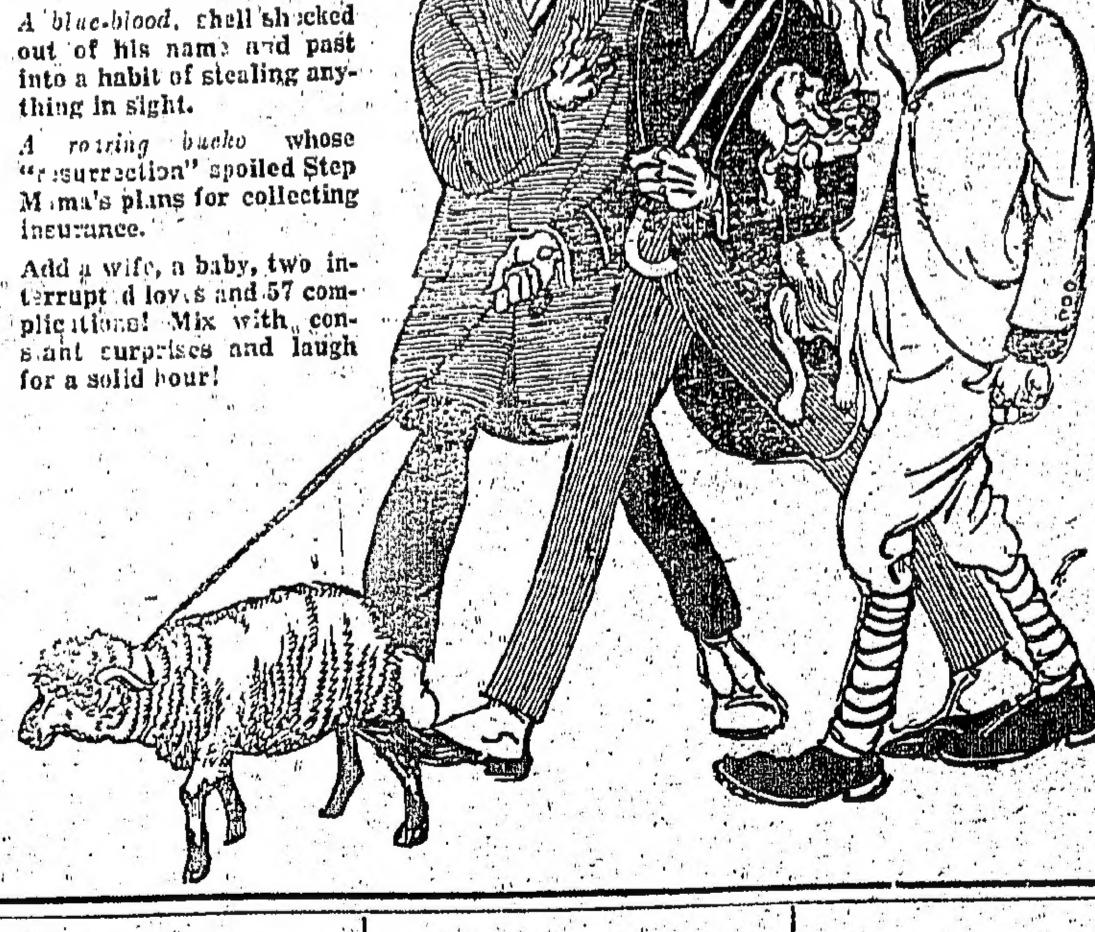
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"A 1,200 foot mountain moving at the rate of a yard a day is threatening the Yalta automobile highway skirting the shore of Crimea along the Black Sea. The mountain has been on the move for several weeks. Gangs of shovelers have kept the motor highway clear of loose rocks and dirt which continually slide on the pavement but it is feared that the mountain is now coming so close to the precipitous scaling that the highway may be upset into the Black Sea just as the summer rush of holiday-makers is about to begin. Yalta is one of Russia's favourite resorts.